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Why are you so mute?
Ah! you smile and blush and sigh;
I do ask no more reply.

Select Miscellany.

THE MYSTERIOUS LODGER.

In September, 1852, I occupied a room in a two-story frame building on Stockton street, in San Francisco, in which were perhaps half-a-dozen lodgers—possibly more. As I seldom visited my room during the day, and invariably retired at 12 o'clock, I rarely met any of my neighbors—or, if I did, it was without my knowing them. With two of my fellow lodgers I became partially acquainted. One was a middle-aged man, occupying a room adjoining mine, and divided from it by a thin partition. Against that thin boundary stood our beds—the middle aged gentleman's and mine—not to exceed three inches apart. The middle aged gentleman was wedded to the habit of snoring. And his was a peculiar snore, not a periodical accompanying every fourth or fifth inspiration, but a terrific and uninterrupted combination of snorts, groans and snuffles, with the addition of teeth grinding and occasional plunges of the extremities against the creaking foot board. For a week I stood up against the clatter. At length, I knocked at his door. I was desperate. He rose, struck a light, and for the first time we met face to face. I had prepared myself to deluge him with sarcasm—to abuse him with Billingsgate—to sink him with abuse. His face was round and jovial, and his head so entirely destitute of hair, that I could not summon courage to utter a single harsh word. For a moment we peered into each others faces.

"Can I do anything for you?" I inquired.

Smith, for that was his name, must have read my thoughts—must have known he snored—must have been aware of the object of my visit—for he immediately replied:

"Yes, my friend, join me in a glass of brandy and water—I have a few drops of something genuine. Permit me to insist," he continued, observing my hesitation, "you will sleep all the better for it," and he gave me a looks welling over with commiseration.

I meekly followed him to his sideboards, and we pledged each other in a glass of ancient vintage. He then pressed me to smoke a cigar. I could scarcely do less. Sitting on the side of the bed, with his round visage peering through a gauze of smoke, and his fat legs swinging good naturedly, Smith was a picture. Together we would have afforded an amusing sketch for Punch. He talked incessantly, and before I left him we touched glasses several times, and I firmly resolved that he might snore, night and day, for a year to come, and I would not disturb him. I wrung his hand in ecstacy of friendship, and bade him an affectionate good night. Smith's brandy was playing strange tricks with my fancy and I felt as though something was whispering, as though to "Macbeth"—"Sleep no more." Irritated at my wakefulness, I drew my clothes on and was soon in the street. The moon rode high in the heavens, and the night was beautiful as a poet's dream. Strolling around the street as far as Clay, I suddenly turned the corner, and encountered a crowd of half-drunken rowdies, standing in front of a house they had either just left or were about to enter. In the act of retracing my steps, I heard some one exclaim, in a boyish tone:

"Not to-night, gentlemen, some other time, but not to-night; please excuse me."

The speaker in passing along the street had been stopped by the rowdies, and invited to drink.

"Bah!" exclaimed a number of voices, "you must come to the scratch—either drink or fight."

"But, gentlemen, I cannot," insisted the stranger, struggling to free himself from the grasp of his persecutors. "I can neither drink nor fight to-night; I am not well."

"Gammon!" growled the party, attempting to force him into the house.

I felt that, as a conservator of the peace and champion of society it was my duty to interfere, Smith's brandy told me so, and furnished the nerve, in addition, to carry out the resolution. Stalking quietly in upon the crowd, I laid my hand upon the boy's shoulder and requested him to follow me. He turned to comply, when "Give him one!" yelled one of the rowdies, and the next moment I received a blow on the back of the neck, and found myself leaning against the side of a house. I was not stunned but exasperated beyond measure. The liquor of my bald headed fellow lodger steeled my nerves to action, and I threw myself into a position of defence. Not doubting my perfect ability to scatter the crowd over an acre of ground, I invited the unequal contest. The appearance of a policeman spared the impending slaughter, for the party suddenly left the field. My companion informed the officer of what had occurred, and he started in pursuit of the retiring rowdies, enjoining us to fight the way to our lodgings.—Taking the arm of the lad we proceeded towards my room. He was a pale faced, interesting looking young man of perhaps eighteen or nineteen years of age, remarkably well bred and intelligent. He was dressed in good taste without affecting any of the airs of maturer years, and I was quite taken with him. He told me at once that his name was Richard Janson; that he was alone in California, but not without means; that he lived in Stockton street, and visiting a friend that evening, had been detained to that unusual hour. In a few moments we arrived at my lodgings, and observing that he evinced little inclination to part with me, I invited him to accept a portion of my bed for the night. He smilingly declined, stating that he was quite near his own; and then I learned for the first time, that he occupied a room in the same house on the same floor with myself. Thus it became acquainted with two of my lodgers.

Janson and myself often met after that, but it was always in the streets or on the stairway. He never invited me to his room, or accepted an invitation to mine. He visited me once or twice at my office, and then remained less than five minutes. How he spent his time I did not inquire. He was a mystery. I spoke of him to Smith one day. Strange to say, that gentleman had never seen him, but from my description of him ventured the opinion that he was either a gambler or a genteel pickpocket. I was reluctantly forced to the conclusion that Smith was right, and after that I treated the young man with unusual coldness. He observed the change, and his look wore a reproach so sorrowful, that I half repented having harbored the suspicion of my venerable looking friend, who was fearfully averse to all mysteries.

Occasion called me to my room one evening at an earlier hour than usual. I heard a soft rap at my door, and opening it, found Janson standing in the entry.

"Come in Janson, I exclaimed, throwing open the door.

"Would you not prefer taking a walk?" he inquired. "The night is beautiful."

"I believe not to night," I replied, "some other time."

I was piqued that he should persist in remaining outside the door.

"I should be much pleased to have you," he rejoined. "I have a few words to say to you in justice to myself, and—"

"Enough," I interrupted: "I will go." I felt assured he desired to tell me something of himself, and I was all anxiety to hear it. It was unpleasant to think him a pickpocket or a sharper, and I hoped that he might be able to prove to me that he was neither.

We left the house and proceeded along Stockton street toward Happy Valley. For ten minutes not a word was spoken. Several times he seemed on the point of speaking, but he as often checked himself.

"Unless I may call you one, I have not a friend in California," at length he began; placing his hand upon my shoulder. I bowed, but made no reply.

"You do not speak," he replied, observing my silence. "I am to understand, I presume that you are not to be made an exception?"

"To be frank with you, Janson," I replied, there is a certain mystery about your movements calculated to give rise to suspicions anything but favorable."

"Of what nature?" asked my companion.

"That you are a gamaler, or even worse," I bluntly replied.

He smiled as he replied:

"Yes, yes, I see; yet the suspicion wrongs me."

"Make it appear so," I answered, "and you shall not want a friend."

"Promise me that you will not divulge what I may tell you, or attempt by word or action, to thwart me in the accomplishment of a purpose to which I have pledged my soul," he said, looking me earnestly in the face, "and you shall have the proof you require."

"If your purpose is not criminal, I promise; if otherwise, keep your secrets," was my answer.

"Tis what you would do, or any other man worthy of the name."

"Then I promise; here is my hand."

"Listen," he resumed, taking my arm and walking slowly on. "I have a twin sister.—We were born in Georgia, and our parents were the possessors of a hundred slaves, and a plantation large enough to give all employment.—When we were fourteen our father died. At the age of sixteen, my sister became a convert during a religious revival, and six months after, in the face of the determined opposition of my mother, ran away and married a young preacher, to whose eloquence the revival owed its origin. My sister did not love the man. Her feelings for him was a religious enthusiasm—a fancy wrought upon her by an unnatural infatuation. Learning they were married, my good mother sent for them, and they returned to receive her blessing. The plantation was placed in charge of my sister's husband, and he relinquished the gospel. He frequently visited New Orleans, and other of the large Southern cities, during the first year of his marriage, but the circumstance excited no suspicion.

"To be brief, before two years elapsed, the large estate owned by my father was swept from us, and we were almost bankrupt. He had induced my mother to mortgage the plantation, with the view, he said of purchasing more negroes to work it, but the money was squandered and the slaves he secretly sold, by fives and tens, till less than a dozen remained. When asked to explain by my mother, he had no excuse to offer. In the midst of this great grief, another wife of Mayhew—that was the villain's name—suddenly made her appearance at the plantation. Learning the residence of her husband, but not knowing of his second marriage, she had left South Carolina to meet him. My poor sister was heart broken. Mayhew, to escape prosecution, fled from the State. His first wife was sent to the mad house, and in three months my poor old mother was laid in the churchyard. My grief bowed sister—but I will not speak of her. Turning the wreck of our property into money, I started in pursuit of the scoundrel who had dealt such a havoc with our peace. Through a dozen States I tracked him, and returned with my mission of vengeance unaccomplished. One year ago by accident, I learned he was in California. As soon as I recovered from a serious illness under which I was laboring, I took passage for this State. I arrived six months ago.

"He is here, for I have seen him, and he can not escape me now! He is even in this city; but he little dreams that the pistol is shotted to send him to the great reckoning. I have made few acquaintances here, having no wish to implicate others in a work of blood which must be mine alone. Last night I followed him from the El Dorado, where he spends most of his time, to a house on Powell street. He has visited it frequently of late, and to-day I understand that he is paying his addresses to a widow lady residing there. But he will not marry her for another week shall not find him alive! You now know all. Have I one friend in California?"

To see so much spirit, so much determination, so much manhood exhibited by a beardless boy, surprised me beyond expression. I offered the brave little fellow my hand, and he felt that he was answered. In silence we returned to our lodgings. Bidding Janson good night, I stepped into Smith's for a moment. I found the old gentleman somewhat agitated. He had lost a valuable diamond pin that day, and freely intimated that the "sleek young cuss," as he denominated Janson, had stolen it. I so strenuously endeavored to dissipate the impression, that I verily believe he felt inclined to transfer the odium of the supposed theft to me. That night Smith snored louder than usual.

Three days after, I met Jansen in the street, and learned that he had taken rooms on Powell street. I did not inquire the reason—I thought I knew it. The next day I again met him.—His face was unusually pale, yet he said he had not felt better for years.

"There is to be a wedding in Powell street to-morrow, at least so Mayhew says, but there will be no bridegroom! Do you understand?" He placed his fingers significantly to his lips, and we separated.

At eight o'clock the next evening, as Isaac Mayhew was mounting the steps of the house to which Jansen had traced him six days days before, a pistol ball pierced his heart, and he dropped dead upon the pavement. Some unaccountable influence had drawn me to the neighborhood, and hearing the report of a pistol, Jansen's words flashed through my mind, and I started with a dozen others, in the direction of the tragedy. Before I arrived on the spot quite a crowd had collected. The body of Mayhew was lying on the sidewalk, and over it in speechless agony, stood the widow who was to have been a bride.

"Who saw this?" inquired a policeman.

"I heard the report of a pistol," said one of the crowd, "and, a minute after, saw a man enter that house yonder," and he pointed to a small frame building on the opposite side of the street.

In an instant, the officer, followed by the excited spectators, started for the house. Springing through the crowd. I reached the side of the policeman, and as he knocked at the door, I was at his elbow. I felt that Jansen was there. The door was quickly opened, and a well dressed lady calmly inquired the object of the visit.

"We were looking for a man who a few minutes since committed a murder across the street," said the officer.

"And do you expect to find him in my room, sir?" returned the lady.

"No, Madam," replied the policeman, rather politely for one of his calling; "but I will glance through your apartment merely as a matter of form before proceeding to the other portions of the house."

The officer entered, I closely followed. While he was examining the room, I for the first time obtained a fair view of the lady's face. Involuntarily, I threw up my hands in amazement. She detected the movement, and quick as thought, placed her finger to her lips. In a moment I comprehended all. Richard Janson stood before me. No—Richard no longer, now that she had slain the destroyer of her peace, but Martha Janson, my former fellow lodger.—Heavens what a discovery! And for me to have been so confoundedly blind too—but no matter. The policeman searched the house but did not find the murderer.

The next day I met Martha on Montgomery street. She smiled and bowed, and I confess I thought her an exceedingly pretty woman.

A week after she quietly left the State for Georgia, where she is now residing. After the sailing of the steamer I received a note through the post office from Martha. She explained all, and thanked me for the assistance I had rendered her, and the kindness shown to her imaginary twin brother, Richard.

When I informed Smith, as I did one evening, that the "sleek young cuss" whom he had viewed with so much suspicion was a woman, he waited for me to repeat the assertion, and then checked himself in the act of calling me a liar. The news excited Smith, and he went to bed that night and snored as he had never snored before.

She who was to have been the third wife of Mayhew still lives in San Francisco. She was married in August last. I met her in the street a few days ago. How vividly the sight of her face brought to mind the incidents I have related. She will read this little story, perhaps, and learn for the first time, why she did not become the wife of Mayhew the bigamist.

WHO WOULDN'T BE A SON OF TEMPERANCE.—Quaker young ladies in the Maine Law States, it is said, still continue to kiss the lips of the young temperance men, to see if they have been tampering with liquor. Just imagine a beautiful young girl approaching the young temperance men, with all the dignity of an executive officer, and the innocence of a dove, with the charge:—"Mr. ——, the ladies believe you are in the habit of tampering with liquor, and have appointed me to examine you according to our established rules, are you willing?" You nod acquiescence. She gently steps close to you, lays her soft white arm around your neck, dashes back her raven curls, raises her sylph-like form upon her tip-toes, her bosom against your own, and, with her angelic features lit up with a smile as sweet as heaven, places her rich, rosy, pouty, sweet, sugar, molasses, honey, butter, eggs, strawberry, sunflower, lilly, rosebud, honeysuckle, tart, cream, baby-jumper, apple pie, peach-pudding, apple-dumpling, gingerbread, nectar lips against yours, and—(Oh Jerusalem!) Hurrah for the gals and the Maine Law, and death to all opposition!

☞ Oliver Wendell Holmes vividly describes death thus:—"By the stillness of the sharpened features, by the blackness of the tearless eye, by the fixedness of the smileless mouth, by the deepening tints, by the contracted brow, by the dilating nostrils, we know the soul is soon to leave its mortal tenement, and is already closing its windows and putting out its fires.

WAS HE A MAN, OR A BRUTE?

I once, says John B Gough, the eloquent temperance lecturer, in a late speech, picked up a man in the market place. They said, "He is a brute—let him alone." I took him home with me, and kept the "brute" fourteen days and nights, through his delirium; and he nearly frightened Mary out of her wits, one night chasing her all about the house with a boot in his hand. But she recovered her wits, and he recovered his. He said to me, "You wouldn't think I had a wife and child?" "Well, I shouldn't." "I have, and—God bless her dear little heart—my little Mary is as pretty a little thing as ever stepped!" said the "brute." I asked, "Where do they live?" "They live two miles away from here." "When did you see them last?" "About two years ago." Then he told me his sad story. I said, "You must go back again." "I musn't go back—I won't—my wife is better without me than with me. I will not go back any more; I have knocked her, and kicked her, and abused her; do you suppose I will go back again?" I went to the house with him I knocked at the door, and his wife opened it. "Is this Mrs. Richardson?" "Yes, sir." "Well, that is Mr. Richardson.—[Laughter.] And Mr. Richardson, that is Mrs. Richardson. Now come in the house. We went in the wife sat on one side of the room, and the "brute on the other. I waited to see who would speak first: and it was the woman. [Applause.] But before she spoke she fidgeted a good deal. She pulled up her apron till she got hold of the hem, and then she pulled it all down again. Then she folded it all up closely, and jerked it through her fingers an inch at a time, and then she spread it all down again, and then she looked all about the room and said, "Well, William?" And the "brute" said, "Well, Mary?" [Laughter.] He had a large handkerchief round his neck, and she said, "You had better take the handkerchief off William; you'll need it when you go out." He began to fumble about it. The knot was large enough; he could have untied it if he liked; but he said, "Will you untie it Mary?" and she worked away at it; but her fingers were clumsy, and she couldn't get it off; their eyes met, and the lovelight was not all quenched; she opened her arms gently and he fell into them. If you had seen those white arms clasped about his neck, and he sobbing on her breast, and the child looking in wonder first at one and then at the other, you would have said, "It is not a brute: it is a man with a big warm heart in his breast."

A YANKEE STORY.

Once while steaming down the Ohio, I heard one that was genuine. I had been sitting in an arm-chair under the lee of one of the chimneys, and on the hurricane deck, reading a late novel, in which I was so much absorbed that I did not notice what was passing around me, until my attention was attracted by a Yankee and a cockney, who were evidently trying to find out who could tell the most unbelievable yarn.

The cockney led the way; and turning the subject upon hog killing, told of a gang of six hands in Merrie England, who would kill six hogs a minute, and clean them.

"Wal, squire," responded the Yankee, "I believe I know o' sumthin' a leetle ahead o' that, notwithstandin' that's a purty big un."

"Ow's that?"

"Well, you see, my frien', I've got an old Uncle Nate, my mother's brother, who got up a leetle the cussedest masheen to cleen hogs with that you ever did see. It wan't like nuthin' in all Natur', but it worked mi'ty slick. You see, Uncle Nate spent his hull life at it, and got it just e'en a'most perfect. He'd drive a hog in, and wun knife would stick it; and then hot water'd squirt on to it; then another knife'd scrape off all the brussels, and take out inards; and a consarned thing would cut it up, and drop it into a bar'l, clean dun.

"Wal, you see, a feller cum down all the way from Bosting to see the thing go; for he was in the pork-packing business up thair, and didn't know but he might want tu git wun.

"Wal, Sur, Uncle Nate got the thing in runnin' order, and then fetched the feller out to look at it. I happened in just then, so Uncle Nate got me to drive in the pig, while he let on steam. He hadn't more'n touched the lever, till the thing started, and you ought to bin thair. You know a pig allers squeels when he is stuck. Wal, Sur, I heerd that pig squeel, and I heerd 'im fall into the bar'l after he was cut up; but I swan to man, I never could tell

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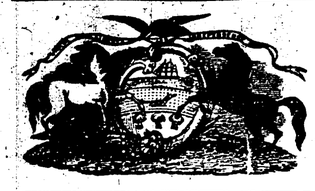

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THE TYRONE STAR AGAIN.

Verily, we were disappointed in the "terrible castigation" we expected to receive in last week's issue of the Tyrone *Star*, not, however, as the editor of that paper would flatter himself into the belief, because we dreaded it, but because he had so loudly trumpeted through this and other places that he intended to "sew us up," while, in reality, his article was only a begging of the question, concluding with a few indirect charges, which, as he put them, simply meant nothing.

The editor of the *Star* says he has always felt the kindliest feeling towards us, and yet in less than five lines following he misrepresents us in a manner which is calculated to do us an injury where his true character is not known. He charges that we lend our influence in favor of a certain political party. This is is not the case. We published an extract of a speech, made by a Republican speaker, at the request of a number of our patrons who are members of that party; but we also plainly stated at the same time that our columns were open to our patrons of other political parties, for the same purpose, and if they do not possess themselves of our offer it is not our fault. In an editorial article in the same paper in which the extract referred to was published, we commented on "political trickery," and especially upon the contemptible practice of garbling extracts from speeches. In doing so we had no reference to particular persons or parties, but because the editor of the *Star* was guilty and the shoe pinched, he construed our remarks into an attack upon him, and to justify his attack upon us in return, he charges us with being the aggressors; but this "stop thief" cry, by the guilty party, will not deceive those who read both papers. We did not become the apologist of Carl Shurz, for reasons which we gave in the article to which the *Star* took exceptions. Certainly the actions of the editor of the *Star* are not in accordance with his professions.

With last week's issue of the *Star* we are done, and now come to notice an article in the issue of Monday of this week, in which we find the indirect charges of last week made anew, with such alterations that we can now understand them. We dislike, and have ever tried to avoid, personal controversies with our cotemporaries, but a mean personal attack made upon us by the *Star*, compels us, in justice to ourselves and others, to reply in like manner; and if we chance to reveal some things, not agreeable to the feelings of our slanderers, they have no one to blame but themselves. We copy the following extract from the *Star*, of Monday last:

"We might have referred more particularly to Thomas Ford, and his celebrated raid in Pennsylvania, in 1856, and have called Mr. McCrum to the witness stand. We might have alluded, in pointed terms, to some of the influences exerted in behalf of Mr. Blair's election in 1858, bringing the records of Blair county in evidence. We might have said something in regard to a certain offer made week before last to the Bell and Everett State Committe, and called upon a banker to substantiate what we said."

The first sentence, in reference to the raid of Thomas Ford, in 1856, is meant to revamp the story put in circulation by H. Bucher Swoope, immediately after the '56 campaign, in which it was charged that the Altoona *Tribune* received $400 for supporting Fremont. This charge was fairly and flatly contradicted at the time it was made, and it was found necessary to transfer the charge from the *Altoona* to the *Cambria Tribune*. Mr. Jolly, as well as every other person who read the *Tribune* in 1856, knows very well that we did not support Fremont, and this fact alone is a sufficient refutation of the charge. To set this matter at rest and stop future harping thereon, Mr. McCrum, whom the *Star* summons as a witness, now takes the stand and is ready to be qualified to the fact that no sum of money was paid, either directly or indirectly, by Thomas Ford or any other person, to the then proprietors of the *Tribune*, for political purposes; and Mr. McCrum now offers to the editor of the *Star* one-half the amount said to have been paid the *Tribune*, if he can prove that such was the case. We want no more of this charge without the proof.

We now come to the second sentence in the extract quoted, in which reference is made to the records of Blair county. Herein is the black and craven heart of our assailant laid open.—The atmosphere which surrounds a being so lost to all the finer feelings of common humanity as to seize upon the misfortunes of another and attempt to construe them into a reproach, prevents us from a near approach, and sinks him so low that we can hardly hope to reach him, yet not so low but that such insinuations as he makes, if allowed to pass unnoticed, might work to our injury. His insinuations are intended to convey the impression that we had some difficulty at law, in 1858, and that Mr. Blair was concerned therein, and that he thereby coerced us into his support. This is untrue. We never had a case at law in which Mr. Blair was either for or against us, consequently he could not have had any influence over us in that way. While speaking of difficulties at law, we might as well tell a little more. We had difficulty, financially, in 1858, along with many other men who felt the crisis of 1857–58. But why had we the difficulty? simply because a set of as graceless scamps as the country affords, persisted in keeping in their pockets the money we had fairly earned, and with which we hoped to pay our debts. Among that number is M. H. Jolly, editor of the Tyrone *Star*, who stands indebted to us to the amount of $25,75, for work done in 1856–57, and, although frequently dunned, has not offered to pay one cent of it. Such, reader, is the man who would make the misfortunes which he helped to bring upon us, the basis of a mean and cowardly insinuation which is intended to filch from us that which he does not possess—a character.

Lastly we come to the insinuation that we have made an offer to the Bell and Everett State Committee, in which case a certain banker in this place is witness. The person referred to is David T. Caldwell, as he is the only banker in this place who is connected with the Bell and Everett party. If he is the person to whom reference is had, and he says that we ever made an offer to the Bell and Everett State Committee, through him, or any other person, he tells what is false, and we call upon him to substantiate the charge. The only conversation we have ever had with any person, which could in any way be construed into an offer to the Bell party, is simply this:—Some time since Mr. Caldwell came into our office, and after talking over political matters, he remarked, as we thought, in a joking manner, that in case Bell was elected President, he had the disposal of this post office. We replied, in a joking manner, that if he would insure us the post office, we would go for Bell. This was all that passed in reference to the matter, and it certainly does not read like a proposition to the Bell and Everett State Committee. If Mr. Caldwell told the editor of the *Star* anything more than we have detailed, and that it was other than a joke, we repeat that it is false, and M. H. Jolly, or the person who gave him his information, are hereby called upon to prove the charge, or wear the brand of deliberate falsifiers.

We ask pardon of our readers for devoting so much space to the charges of the *Star*. Were it not that such charges, made in the midst of an exciting polical campaign, are more likely to be received and circulated to our prejudice, by those who side with the person making them, we would not have deemed them worthy even a passing notice. Here, where the author is known, he can do us no injury. Here it is only necessary to say that such an assertion was made by Jolly, in order to cast doubt upon its validity, or elicit a contradiction even from his own partizans, few of whom have any confidence in him. But as mercy(?) has been shown us, we must be merciful in return, therefore we will say no more at present.

SHOULD GO TO SCHOOL.—The editor of the Tyrone *Star* should go to school and learn a little in relation to the time and body of men who elect the next President, in case there should be no election by the people. In this week's paper, which appeared the day before the election, he appealed to the Bell men to vote for McAlister, and against Blair, for the reason that in case Blair was elected he would vote for Lincoln, should the election go to the House.—Now everybody knows that in case the election of President does go to the House, it must be attended to previous to the 4th of March next, up to which time Mr. Blair would hold his seat, even though he had been defeated; and consequently, that Mr. McAlister, had he been elected, would have had nothing to do with the selection of a President. The editor of the *Star* must be either an ignorant politician, or an accomplished falsifier and deceiver, and warnings and instructions from that source should be received with caution.

"Wide-Awake" Caudle Lecture.

The following, from a Buffalo paper, is too good to be lost. Our "Wide-Awake" friends can laugh over it as well as any others; and it suits the "Minute Men" and all who carry torches, as well as those for whom it was originally intended:—

[Scene—In bed, face to the wall. Strong smell of coal oil. Time, three in the morning.]

A pretty time indeed for you to come home, sir! Where have you been all night? You smell as if you had been in search of Symmes' Hole through a tar barrel. Talk of sulphuretted hydrogen, or superannuated eggs! They ain't anywhere. Say, where have you been? Here I've been lying awake for the last five hours, waiting for you to come Now, I want to know where you have been all this time? *Wish I wouldn't bother you—tell me in the morning?* I want to know now; it's near enough morning to know where one's husband has been all night, and particularly if he comes home perfumed clear through as you are. You musn't *good wife* me. That won't answer. Suppose you were a woman, and your husband should go off every night in the week, and come home as you do, and—I wish you would get up and let some fresh air into the room; or I shall certainly suffocate—what would you say? Don't you imagine there would be a row in the family?—*Been with the Wide Awakes?* I should think as much. You're a wide-a-wake fool, that's what you are. I've always thought you had about sense enough to parade the streets all night. *Why did I marry you?* That's a pretty question. Didn't you swear that you'd shoot yourself if I didn't take pity on you? I'm sorry I didn't allow you to shoot, or hang, or drown yourself. It would have been the best thing I ever did in my life. What is it smells so?—*Nothing.* Don't well me nothing; it never smelled so in the world. *Had to carry a torch?* That's sweet business for a man who pretends to be the father of a large family. Next thing I shall expect to hear of you is, that you've been splitting rails for general circulation. *I know nothing about politics?* Don't eh? I don't want to know nothing about politics, if I have to neglect my family and carry stinking torches for the benefit of a man who is trying to be President. *Want to sleep?* I thought you were a Wide-A-wake. I suppose you've kept awake to-night on whisky, havn't you? Where have you been all this time? the town clock has just struck three. *Been to Tonawanda to raise a liberty pole!* That's a sweet note. Why didn't the Wide-A-wakes of Tonawanda raise their own pole? Well, you can't fool any body. I believe I know something about politics myself, and I know that you are drunk, that's what you are. *Must go to sleep*, must you? I've had no sleep to night, and you never once thought of me. You're an old brute!

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

Pennsylvania Election.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 10, 5 P. M.—The last edition of the *Bulletin* speaks as follows:—Complete victory of the Peoples' Party! The election in Pennsylvania resulted in the success of the Peoples' Party by majorities far exceeding the ordinary calculations. Philadelphia city, where most of the Bell and Everett men voted with the Democrats, gave Foster a majority of about 2,000 in a total vote of over 81,000; but in other parts of the State the Peoples' Party have largely increased their majorities. The general results may be thus stated: "The Peoples' Party in the State elect their Governor by from 20,000 to 25,000 majority! carry 18 or 20 out of 25 Congressional Districts, and have both branches of the Legislature by large majorities."

In this city the Peoples' Party carry all the City Ticket, elect their Senator and a majority of Representatives to the State Legislature.—For Congress, Lehman, Democrat, Morris, Verree, Kelly and Davis, Peoples' Party, are elected—the latter by a majority of about 60 over Ingersoll, democrat.

Below we give the reported majorities as far as heard from:

	Curtin.	*Foster.*
Allegheny,	6,900	
Dauphin,	1,400	
Lancaster,	5,000	
Erie,	3,000	
Philadelphia,		2,043
Montgomery,		1,650
Beaver,	900	
Susquehanna,	1,550	
Franklin,	700	
Wyoming,	150	
Washington,	760	
Mercer,	800	
Lawrence,	1,700	
Huntingdon,	700	
Mifflin,	329	
Union,	800	
Chester,	1,600	
Delaware,	1,209	
Berks,		3,000
Lehigh,		500
Westmoreland,		450
York,		1,300
Cambria,		600

In Cumberland and Perry counties both the People's Party candidates for Assembly are elected.

Armstrong and Westmoreland counties sends three People's Party candidates to the House.

John Covode has carried his district by 2,000 majority.

The returns indicate the election of Dr. Smith Fuller to the Senate from the Westmoreland district and George V. Lawrence from the Washington district, both People's Party candidates.

Wharton, the People's Party candidate for Senator, in the Huntingdon, Bedford and Somerset district, is elected.

McPherson is elected to Congress from the Franklin district.

Indiana Election.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct 10.—The latest returns from this State indicate the election of Henry S. Lane, the Republican candidate for Governor, by a majority of 10 000! The Congressional delegation is largely Republican, also both branches of the Legislature.

Ohio Election.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, Oct. 10.

Ohio has followed the example of Pennsylvania by electing the whole Republican State ticket by a majority of over 20,000. Only three Democratic Congressmen are elected.

Letter from Ireland.

Correspondence of the Altoona Tribune.

COLERAIN, COUNTY ANTRIM, *September 1st, 1860.*

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Before I left Altoona, I was asked by some of my friends, who are subscribers to your paper, to furnish letters for the *Tribune*, giving a history of my travels and a description of the country I passed through. I also promised the junior Editor that I would *write* occasionally, and I now comply. I have not been idle since I left you, and if I give you a full description of the country I have now passed through, then this is only one of a series of long letters; and if they are read with as much interest as I felt in visiting the different places, I am sure a great interest will be manifested.

I left Altoona on the 10th of August, but witnessed nothing of interest on my trip to New York. On the 18th of August I found myself on board the steamship Kangaroo, and distinctly heard the Captain say "Let go the ropes," and presently the good ship was out in the river, with her beak turned down stream, and we were sailing smoothly down the river. I was seated about the middle of the ship, and could see the vessel capering in the water with a motion similar to a small bird known by the name of "Kildeer," *i. e.* "up before, down behind—up behind, down before." The consequence of this motion was that the passengers began to get sea sick. Now commenced the perplexities of a sea voyage. Passengers were lying carelessly on the decks fore and aft, each with their heads resting on one hand, and in the other hand a tin vessel, and all were shouting "y-o-r-k." As for myself, I was not yet affected in the least, but I looked forward with dread to the time when I would be. About six o'clock we lost sight of "my own, my native land," and with it went a long, heavy and deep sigh, as I caught the last glimpse of the land. I did wish it was Pennsylvania—aye—the hills around Altoona, that I might bid farewell to places familiar. But they were lost to my sight; and I never lost sight of an object I loved so much, because that land contains my home—aye, my wife and children, the jewels of my house-hold. Oh! how much did I appreciate the words,

"There is no place like home."

Time passed very pleasantly, I saw a number of fish, among them the mighty whale. Schools of them appeared, spouting the water fifteen and twenty feet above them. Some shot up two streams, and these I was told were sperm whales, they being the only ones that spouted through two nostrils. Porpoises were numerous. Sailors are governed by the direction these fish swim. They always appear in the morning and the direction they take is the course of the coming wind.

All passed very agreeably until Monday morning, 25th, when it was announced that one of our number, a lady, had died. She had passed herself to the captain as being perfectly healthy. She took her bed in a few days after she came on board, and the physician being sent for, it was ascertained that she had consumption. She was without friends or acquaintances, and gave as her reason for acting as she did, that she wished to be upon the ocean to find relief. She found relief in death. All were lively and gay when the steward announced her death, and an immediate gloom was cast over the passengers. She died without the presence of a solitary person. In a short time she was encased in a coffin and placed in the most obscure place in the ship. Just as she was found, so she was coffined,—not a friend to shed a tear over her departure or to see her properly encased. Alas! what a death, to die at sea.

All was gloomy on Monday. On Tuesday, about noon, a crowd gathered around the midship. I went to learn the cause, and saw there the coffin. Shortly the Captain appeared with books in hand and read the funeral service, after which four sailers picked up the coffin containing the corpse and pitched it feet foremost into the angry ocean, apparently as a feast for the hungry sharks that were around the ship in swarms. It sunk, but rose again and floated at the surface. I was sitting at the guard, and as far as I could see, the black coffin still floated. Poor woman! she found the relief she so ardently sought for. The sea was rolling very angrily and the waves were becoming larger and larger. They rose before us like mountains and seemed to bid defiance to our gallant ship. It was a sight I shall never forget. As I sat on the bow and watched the motion, she capered among the waves like a young duck, and such waves as would not melt before her she gallantly leaped on top of them, only to settle down in the next billowing vale. And so it continued until 1 o'clock on Thursday morning, when the Giver of all said, "Peace, be still," and it was so. As I had no sleep until this time, I was glad to fall into the endearing arms of Morpheus. I was dreaming of home and its jewels—of Altoona and its pleasures—had just picked up the *Tribune* and was about commencing to read the "Locals," when the steward called for breakfast. I was inclined to pull his ears, but was told "*Land was in sight!*" I jumped up, washed and run up on deck, when low and behold, there were, in reality, the rocky, barren, shrubless hills of "Ould Ireland."

We landed on a steamer, in the cove of Cork, about 11 o'clock A. M., but did not get on the land until 5 o'clock P. M. It was about 13 days past since we saw land, and to see it was not sufficient: I longed to stand on it—to touch it, aye, to take earth in my hands, for certainly thirteen days without enjoying what I had enjoyed every moment of my existence, would appear a very long time. Such may appear silly talk, but let any one, who never before crossed the ocean, try it, and my word for it he will conceive the time much longer than it really is.

But I must first give you a general and correct description of the island of Ireland, and afterwards I will commence where I landed and give you the particulars of all particular places on my route—and I may go out of it, for I hear much—and write nearly all down.

The island has been called by the natives, from the earliest times, "Eri" or "Erin," signifying "Western," and from most of which its other names are derived. Thus, the Greeks knew of it under the name of "Iernu," while Ptolemy and Juvenae called it, respectively, "Iowerna" and "Inverna," hence the corruption "Hibernia." By the ancient Britons it was called "Iverdon," and afterwards named by their Saxon conquerors "Ireland," or "Ierland," the former being the present name. The appellation of "Scotia," sometimes applied to Ireland, originated in the fourth century, when it was in common use among the learned. This title, however, properly belongs to Scotland. It is called "Emerald's Isle" on account of its beauty, and well may it be so called, for it is a lovely country. The surface is an undulating plain, rising in some parts to a considerable elevation, and at others forming extensive levels, occupied by bogs or moorland. Its scenery is characterized by openness of prospect, beauty and picturesqueness, but wants in grandeur—More than one-half of the land is arable, and about one-sixth under cultivation, the remainder being covered with either moorwater or buildings: there are no hills that could properly be called mountains, though some of them very nearly approach that rank. The temperature of Ireland is more equable than that of England or Scotland, the winters being less severe and the summers not so warm. This difference is especially noticeable on the western and southern coasts, where the effects of the gulf stream are imediately felt. The donkey is used to a very great extent. They are about as large as a four month's colt though not so heavy. The Kerry cove is fast disappearing. I am told that squirrels are rarely met with and wolves never. Frogs are plentiful, but the common toad never found. At a town called Ballymena, I saw a notice stuck up in the garden, reading thus:—"Poisoned snakes set here."—The less repulsive waterjack or yellow striped toad is found in county Kerry. What I have written I have been told by persons of good authority. Bed bugs are scarce, but fleas, oh! horrible? Two persons should always travel together, so that they may be of service to each other, one watching while the other sleeps, otherwise to sleep is utterly out of the question. More anon. W. R. BOYERS.

HOW WALKER WAS SHOT.—An Havana correspondent of the *Herald* writes:—Walker, it appears, was not permitted to have any communication with any of his followers previous to his execution. He marched from his cell to the place of execution with a steady step and unshaken mein. A chair had been placed for him with his back toward the Castle. Having taken his seat, he was blindfolded. Three soldiers stepped forward to within twenty feet of him, and discharged their muskets. The balls entered his body, and he leaned a little forward; but, it being observed that he was not dead, a fourth soldier mercifully advanced so close to the suffering man that the muzzle of the musket almost touched his forehead, and being there discharged, scattered his brains and skull to the winds.

IS THE SUN GROWING COLD AND DARK?—There are now more spots on the sun than have been seen for many years; some of these are visible through a smoked glass to the naked eye. Several stars—some of them of great brilliancy, which from their ascertained distance, must have been as large as our sun—have totally disappeared from the sky; and the question has been raised among astronomers, whether the light and heat of the sun are gradually fading away. As this would be accompanied by the destruction of all the plants and animals on the earth, it is rather an interesting question. The sun's light and heat are diminished by the dark spots at the present time about 1 per cent.—*Scientific American.*

PEN AND SCISSORS.

☞ There are 61 inmates of the Ohio State prison under sentence for life, one of whom has been confined 24 years.

☞ A large number of Garibaldi's soldiers are said to be fair, pretty looking boys, not more than twelve or fourteen years old.

☞ Miss Elizabeth Blair, of Mansfield, Ohio, has made a gentleman of that place pay $2,000 for saying she was no better than she ought to be.

☞ "Red, White and Blue." The red cheeks, white teeth and blue eyes of a lovely girl are as good a flag as a young soldier in the battle of life, need fight for.

☞ About a half a million of documents are weekly sent out from the National Capitol folding rooms, on account of the several political parties.

☞ The Vicksburg *Whig* is terribly indignant that the Governor of Mississippi should have spent at the North the sum of $200,000, appropriated by that State for the purchase of arms and ammunition.

☞ On the night of the 22d ult., the stable of Mr. Sam'l Clark, of Curwensville, Clearfield county, was consumed by fire, together with four horses, seven sets of harness, four tons of hay, and other articles. Loss $300.

☞ Movements have been commenced in Baltimore and Boston for the establishment in those cities of asylums for aged men, and it has been suggested that measures be taken in Philadelphia to organize a similar institution.

☞ The editor of the Wilmington (N. C.) *Herald*, recently saw a snow white raccoon's skin, the fir of which is as beautiful and soft as the finest wool. The coon was killed with two others of the same color on the borders of the Roanoke river.

☞ Cats are in demand at Pike's Peak. Mice are plenty, though rats are not known in that part of the country. Cats sell at a high price. Indians are said to be very fond of them, and have been known to give three or four buffalo skins, valued at four or five dollars each, for a cat.

☞ A German, who was arrested at Lancaster, Pa., last week for stealing, explained that the last time he was in prison was for vagrancy, and he had only bread and water, while he saw the convicts have meat. As he liked meat, he thought he should better his condition by stealing.

☞ The last Legislature of New York passed a law that no person having a husband, wife, child or parent shall, by will, give more than half his property to any "benevolent, charitable, literary, scientific, religious or missionary society, association or corporation, in trust or otherwise."

☞ J. Edgar Thompson has resigned the presidency of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, on account of the demands upon his time and energy by the Pennsylvania Road. It is said that the vacant position has been tendered to Col. V. K. Stephenson, President of the Nashville and Chattanooga road.

☞ At the great fair in Macon, Georgia, no article will be tolerated if the manufacturer or inventor resides in a Northern State; and just as this fact is announced, the citizens of Jackson Parish, La., have held a meeting and despatched an agent to the Northwest to purchase corn for them, as their own is entirely stricken by smut.

☞ The Mt. Carmel *Democrat*, published at Mount Carmel, Wabash county, Ill., has the American Union National, State and county ticket hoisted on the first page, and the Douglas Democratic National, State and county ticket on the second page. To the former ticket it gives a passive support, but pitches in nobly for the latter.—That's mixing things.

☞ The Hartford *Times* says potatoes, for the first time of late years, are yielding in the almost old fashioned measure of 250 bushels to the acre, and large contracts are being made at 37½@40 cents per bushel: apples lie rotting by the hundred bushels in a thousand orchards, not only of Connecticut, but of New England, for want of market at any price. They can be bought, good and sound, at any quantity, at a shilling a bushel. We have not seen anything like this in our orchards since 1844.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Dr. Velpeau's Cankerine.

DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Putrid Sore Mouth.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Sore Nipples.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Ulcerated Sores.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Cuts.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Burns.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Sores.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Chapped Lips.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Ulcerated Gums.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE is the best Purifier of the Breath of anything known.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Canker in the Mouth, Throat, or Stomach, resulting from Scarlatina or Typhus Fevers.

Ladies, if you delight in pure white teeth, use the CANKERINE, and your desires will be realized. We pledge our word that it is entirely free from acids and all poisonous substances, and can be given to an infant with perfect safety. It will preserve the teeth and keep the gums free from ulcers. It is equally efficacious for nursing sore mouths. In all the thousands remedies that have been put forth for the cure of the various diseases above, none can equal the Cankerine. Sold by all druggists. Price 25 cents per bottle. J. BURRILL & CO.,
Proprietors, 93 Maiden Lane, N. Y.

For sale in Altoona, by G. W. KESSLER.

Read the following certificate from Mr. Weaver, a well known Auctioneer at Pittsburgh:

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 15, 1860.

The undersigned, being sorely afflicted with the Neuralgia in the lower jaw, which affected my teeth, I stepped into Dr. Keyser's Drug Store to obtain some relief, when, accidentally, I met the agent of Dr. Velpeau's Cankerine, which I applied and found instantaneous relief. I most cordially recommend it as a sovereign remedy for all pains in the teeth or jaws. J. S. WEAVER.

[*From the Boston Daily Express.*]

Chairs! Chairs!! Chairs!!!

Concentration is evidently the secret of success and no one can deny this fact who will visit THE PREMIUM CANE SEAT CHAIR MANUFACTORY and WARE ROOMS at Nos. 223 and 225 North Sixth Street, opposite Franklin Square, Philadelphia.

Mr. I. H. Wisler, the energetic and intelligent proprietor of the establishment, gives his individual attention to the manufacture of this single article—Cane Seat Chairs, and can *without doubt* furnish the *best* Chairs for *less* money than they can be purchased elsewhere. His stock embraces the greatest variety of fashionable and elegant styles, suitable for Parlors, Drawing Rooms, Dining Rooms, or Chambers, also Ladies' Sewing Rockers, Children's Chairs &c., that is to be found in Philadelphia. His ambition is to furnish the best article for the least money and with shrewd business calculation he has located himself where rent is low yet in a central and prominent place. Every body can remember *Franklin Square* and it is the best guide to his extensive Ware Rooms. To any one and every one wishing to purchase chairs we say emphatically that no one supply a better article or afford to sell at a lower price than Mr. I. H. WISLER. [Oct. 4, 1860.—1m.

☞ It is a common observation that there are more sufferers from debility, among Americans than can be found among any other civilized nation. The reasons are obvious. We take too little exercise, and forget the wants of the body in the absorbing pursuits of business. In all such cases ordinary medicines can do little good What is required is just such a tonic and invigorator as Dr. J. Hostetter has given to the world, in his CELEBRATED BITTERS. The weak and nervous denizen of the counting house, the exhausted toiler upon the shop-board, and the prostrated student of the midnight lamp, have found a wonderful regenerator in the "Bitters," and prefer it to more pretentious, but less efficacious medicines. But it should not be forgotten that the agent which is so magical in its influence upon a frame which is merely debilitated, is equally powerful in assisting nature to expel the most terrible form of disease. Who would not give it a trial?

Sold by druggists and dealers everywhere.

☞ See advertisement in another column.

☞ "ON THAT THE SKIN of an innocent sheep should be made into parchment, and written on to the undoing of a man!" quoth Shakspeare. He might also have deplored the ruining of men's forms by the uncouth manner in which some ungracious tailors butcher up the cloth made from the wool grown by these same harmless sheep. To see the perfection of the art of working up cloth wisely and well, and so as to set off to the best advantage the forms of its wearers, call at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut St. above Sixth, Phila. and examine their stock of garments for gentlemen and youths.

Toram's Furniture Warehouse.

This establishment is becoming one of the most attractive "Institutions" of the Quaker City, and the place where housekeepers "most do congregate." Mr. TORAM established himself at the corner of *Ninth and Market Streets*, in 1850, and by superintending the manufacture of every article himself his wares soon gained a reputation, and by liberal advertising and strict attention to business, he was soon forced to add room after room to his establishment, until his is now the most extensive establishment of the kind in Philadelphia, and being one of special interest to all housekeepers, we deem it worthy of this special notice. Mr. Toram is himself a master mechanic, a shrewd business man, and a gentleman. He superintends his own business and may be found at the establishment early and late. He is, in the strict sense of the word, a utilitarian, and the reader must not expect, should he visit his business place, to find a "showy" establishment, unless, indeed, a fire of industry and well stocked ware rooms of large dimensions but unpretending style may be considered showy. The place is an *attractive* one, however, and especially to young housekeepers commencing life and looking for home comforts. The varieties of style and gradation of prices are such as to enable one to purchase according to taste and with a *certainty* of purchasing at *the lowest prices*. Make a note of this, reader, and call at the establishment or send your order. Address STEPHEN TORAM, N. E. corner of 9th and Market streets, Philadelphia, and your furniture will be selected from a stock embracing everything from the best and most elaborate finish to the plainest and cheapest. All orders receive the personal attention of Mr. TORAM and his efforts to please are generally satisfactory.

Sept. 13, 1860–1m.

Read! Read! Read!

CAIRO, Ill., July 29th, 1860.

Messrs. JOHN WILCOX & Co.:—Your "Inpectine," or "Persian Fever Charm," has done wonders. I was wholly despondent and wretched when I applied it, and in five hours the chills were removed and no fever has ensued. It is the simplest cure imaginable, and a wonder of nature or art. I would not be without this "Inpectine" a single hour.—By constantly wearing I seem to be "ague proof."

Yours very truly, E. M. STOUT.

MOBILE, Alabama, July 23d, 1860.

GENTLEMEN:—I have been snatched from the grave by the application of your wonderful "Inpectine," or "Persian Fever Charm." For several years I have suffered every season from Fever and Ague. Last Spring my life was threatened, but your remedy has destroyed the disease and I am rapidly gaining an appetite and strength.

Respectfully yours, D. N. BARRÓN.

This truly wonderful preventive and cure for Fever and Ague and Bilious Fevers will be sent mail, post paid, on receipt of one dollar. Also for sale at all respectable Druggists and Country Stores.

Principal Depot and Manufactory, 188 Main St., Richmond, Va. Branch Office, Bank of Commerce Building, New York. Address JOHN WILCOX.

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.

DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS.

The combination of ingredients in these Pills are the result of a long and extensive practice. They are mild in their operation, and certain in correcting all irregularities Painful Menstruations, removing all obstructions, whether from cold or otherwise, headache, pain in the side, palpitation of the heart, whites, all nervous affections, hysterics, fatigue, pain in the back and limbs, &c., disturbed sleep, which arise from interruption of nature.

DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS

was the commencement of a new era in the treatment of those irregularities and obstructions which have consigned so many thousands of the young, the beautiful, and the beloved to a premature grave. No female can enjoy good health unless she is regular, and whenever an obstruction takes place the general health begins to decline.

DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS

are the most effectual remedy ever known for all complaints peculiar to *Females*. To all classes they are invaluable, *inducing, with certainty, periodical regularity*. They are known to thousands, who have used them at different periods, throughout the country, having the sanction of some of the most *eminent Physicians in America*.

Explicit directions, stating when, and when they should not be used, with each Box,—*the Price One Dollar each Box, containing 40 Pills*.

A valuable Pamphlet, to be had free, of the Agents.—Pills *sent by mail, promptly*, by enclosing price to the General Agent. Sold by Druggists generally,

R. B. HUTCHINGS, GENERAL AGENT,
14 Broadway, New York.

Sold in Altoona by G. W. Kessler; in Hollidaysburg by Geo. A. Jacobs. [Dec. 8, 1859–1y.

Weakness of the Stomach and Indigestion.

Another Great Cure effected by Berhave's Holland Bitters.

The wife of Pietur De Witte, living in Holland Town, Sheboygan county, Wisconsin, suffered much from Weakness of the Stomach and Indigestion She had been under a physician's care for some time, but the disease seemed to baffle even his skill. She purchased some HOLLAND BITTERS at our office, which has given tone to her stomach; her appetite and strength are returning, and we firmly believe that this is another great cure effected by your medicine.

We have still to record many wonderful cures effected by this remedy, but must wait another opportunity. One thing you can rely upon: what we have published are from persons much respected in our community, and are literally true. J. QUINTUS,

(Ed. Sheboygan Nieuwsbode, Sheboygan, Wis.)

To Consumptives.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing, and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription will please address.

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Williamsburgh,
Oct. 4, '60.—1y. King County, New York.

Infantile Cordial.

We would request particular attention to the advertisement of Messrs. CHURCH & DUPONT, addressed to "Mothers." The INFANTILE CORDIAL OF DR. EATON is a medicine of great celebrity, and the standing of its manufacturers will be a sufficient guarantee of the care taken in its preparing purity. The "BLOOD FOOD" is for a class of diseases unfortunately very prevalent in this vicinity, and its high reputation should ensure a ready sale.—*Willimantic (Conn.) Journal.*

☞ See advertisement.

MRS. WINSLOW,

An experienced nurse and female physician, has a soothing Syrup for children teething, which greatly facilitates the process of teething, by sotening the gums, reducing all inflammation—will allay all pain, and is sure to regulate the bowels. Depend upon it, mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and relief and health to your infants. Perfectly safe in all cases. See advertisement in another column

NEW WALL PAPER!

W. P. MARSHALL ANNOUNCES to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has for sale

Cheap Wall Paper,	from 6	cts	to 10	cts.
do	do	do 10	do 12½	"
Glazed	do	do 20	do $1,00	
Panel Oak	do	do 12½	do 50	cts.
Gold	do	do 50	do $2,00	
Gold and Velvet	do	$1,50	do 5,00	

AT THE STRIPED FRONT,
NO 87 WOOD STREET, PITTSBURGH.

Sept. 13, 1860–2m.

GROCERIES.—A LARGE AND complete assortment of Groceries have just been received at the store of J. B. HILEMAN.

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERvers for sale at (1-tf.) KESSLER'S.

QUEENSWARE, JUST RECEIVED. A large and fashionable assortment at the store of J. B. HILEMAN.

Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA MAIL SCHEDULE.

MAILS CLOSE.

Eastern Way at 7 00 A.M.
Western " and Hollidaysburg, 7 00 A.M.
Western Through and Hollidaysburg, 6 30 P.M.
Eastern Through Mail 7 40 "

MAILS OPEN.

Hollidaysburg 7 10 A.M.
Western Through 7 15 "
Eastern Through Mail, 7 40 "
Hollidaysburg, 6 50 P.M.
Western Way, 8 10 P.M.
Eastern " 6 55 P.M.

Office open for the transaction of business from 6.30 A.M. to 9.00 P.M., during the week, and from 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock, on Sunday.

June 4, '57-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Express Train East arrives 8,10 P.M., leaves 8,25 P.M.
" " West " 7,40 A.M. " 8,50 A.M.
Fast " East " 1,15 A.M. " 1,20 A.M.
" " West " 8,25 P.M. " 8,40 P.M.
Mail " East " 7,15 A.M. " 7,30 A.M.
" " West " 6,55 P.M., " 7,10 P.M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express Train East and West, and Mail Train East and West.

INDIANA BRANCH TRAINS connect with Johnstown Accommodation Train East and West, Johnstown Way Train Eastward and Express Train Westward.

April 12, 1860. ENOCH LEWIS, *Gen'l Supt.*

LOCAL ITEMS.

FIRE.—On Tuesday evening, about ten o'clock, the cry of "fire" resounded through the town, and brought out all who had retired for the night. A bonfire had been kindled in East Altoona, and every person at first ran in that direction. Finding out their mistake, it was thought to be a false alarm, but it was soon after ascertained that the boarding-house, on Emma street, near the Methodist Church, owned by Mrs. Sawdon and occupied by Dr. Vicroy, was on fire, and the crowd moved to that place. The house was on fire between the weatherboarding and plastering of the back part of the lower wing. A portion of the weatherboarding was torn off and water applied which soon quenched the fire. From the fact that there had been smoke in the house all the day previous, it is supposed that the fire had been burning all day but did not break out until the time mentioned. It was well it was discovered before all had retired, else it would have been hard to save the house.

POLITICAL MEETINGS.—The People's Party mass meeting, held in this place, on Monday evening last, was, according to reports, the largest held in the place this season, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. There were four "Wide-Awake" Clubs, carrrying over 250 torches, in line, viz:—Altoona Club, accompanied by the Altoona Brass Band; Huntingdon Club, accompanied by the Excelsion Bass Band of that place; the Hollidaysburg and Duncansville Clubs, accompanied by martial music.

Addresses were delivered by Hon. Isaac Hazlehurst and Isaac J. Neall, Esq., of Philadelphia, and Gen John Williamson, of Huntingdon.

The Constitutional Union Party held a meeting in front of the Post Office, on the same evening. The "Minute Men of '60" were out in uniform, bearing some 80 or 90 torches. The meeting was addressed by Gen. W. H. Irvin, of Lewistown. There were no delegations from other places, the meeting having been got up late in the afternoon.

☞ The Tyrone *Star* tries to make a "bull" out of a sentence in our notice of Col. Weitzel, in our last week's issue. True to the instinct of the thing who edits the *Star*, he must garble the senteuce, simply for the purpose of venting his spleen towards those who have had the independence to expose his villainy in garbling.—We said of Col. Weitzel that "his appearance at *each* station every day was as regular as the rising of the sun." The *Star* says we said "at *the* station" meaning Altoona. It will be seen that we had no reference to Altoona station, or any other particular station. The garbling of the *Star* is very apparent, the point of the joke is lost and the *Star* man, and not us, has the "bull" by the horns.

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY.—We are informed that, on Tuesday evening last, a fracas occurred at Lewistown, between Gen. Wm. H. Irwin and a Mr. Hawker, resulting in the almost fatal wounding of Mr. John McNeall. The particulars are as follows:—Mr. Irwin and Mr. Hawker were talking politics, and got into a quarrel, when Irwin drew a revolver and fired at Hawker, but, missing his aim, the ball struck McNeall, tearing the muscle from his right arm. He fired a second time and the ball struck McNeall in the side, passing through his kidneys. McNeall's recovery is considered doubtful. We learn the above from a person who was present at the time, and saw the occurrence.

TO ALL MANKIND.—Dr. Palmer, the great travelling doctor, who has been travelling so many years, and has done so much good to the community, will be in Altoona on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday, Oct. 9th, 10th, 11th 12th, 13th and 15th. His rooms are at the American Hotel, on Emma street. The doctor can cure all cancers, fever sores, felons, tumors, ulcers, piles, nervous affections, &c. He says he can cure all that are curable, and help those who cannot be cured. As his stay will be short those who desire to avail themselves of his services should call on him immediately.

STORM.—A tremendous storm of wind and rain, accompanied by sharp lightning and thunder, passed over this place between three and four o'clock, on Monday morning last. The only damage done, that we observed, was the breaking of the Lincoln pole, about 15 feet from the top. The drooping streamer furnished the opposition a fine opportunity to twit their opponents, and they embraced it. On Tuesday morning, some daring individual ascended the pole, cut off the broken part and spliced it to the main pole again.

ACCIDENT.—On Saturday morning last, Cyrus Bates, engineer on Express Train west, was knocked off his engine, while coming up the yard, by coming in contact with a water tank which stands near the track. He was leaning over the side of his engine looking back at a passing train, when the tank struck him just behind the ear, knocking him off the engine and cutting an ugly gash in his scalp but doing no injury to his skull. He was taken to Dr Finley's office where his wound was dressed.

Blair County.

	Curtin.	Foster.	Blair.	McAllister.
Allegheny township,	74		75	
Antes "	166		160	
Blair "		11		12
Catharine "	23			
Freedom "	50		50	
Frankstown "	168		148	
Gaysport Bor		65		
Greenfield "	46			44
Huston "	25			126
Juniata "		2		
Logan "	189		184	
Snyder "	125			
Tyrone "	80			
Tyrone Bor.	28			
Taylor "	107		113	
Woodberry "	101		3	
N. Woodberry "		6		
Hollidaysburg Bor.		40		20
Altoona Bor.		184		
	1191	310		
	310			
	881 maj. for Curtin			

The whole Opposition County Ticket is elected by majorities ranging from 300 to 800.

Blair is re-elected to Congress from this District by a majority of from 1,500 to 2,000.

Altoona and Logan Tp. Returns.

Governor.	E. W.	W. W.	N. W.	Logan tp.
Curtin,	93	99	59	321
Foster.	211	122	100	122
Congress.				
Blair,	90	92	52	314
McAllister,	211	120	100	130
Assembly.				
Roller,	93	97	58	322
Jack,	210	114	94	136
Associate Judges.				
Dean,	215	124	93	357
Moses,	82	84	53	272
McLanahan,	217	124	92	166
Isett,	87	83	50	119
Co. Commissioner.				
Koon,	90	88	58	268
Brook,	213	116	92	170
Dist. Attorney.				
Hewitt,	93	93	57	316
Murray,	212	106	95	134
Treasurer.				
McKeage,	83	92	64	317
McFarlane,	216	115	88	135
Director of Poor.				
Bierley,	86	95	60	331
Wilson,	218	112	95	129
Auditor.				
Messimer,	177	127	127	283

Peoples' Party in Roman; Democrats in *italic*; Independent in SMALL CAPS; * no opposition.

M. E. S. S. EXHIBITION.—The time of holding this exhibition has finally been fixed for Thursday evening of next week. Those who are to take part in it have been industriously practising for some weeks past and have reached a degree of perfection which warrants us in stating that the entertainment will be well worth attending. The price of admittance has been placed at such low figures that we expect to see the church filled to overflowing.

DR. VELPAU'S CANKERINE.—The attention of our readers is called to the advertisement of Dr. Velpau's Cankerine. This article has been highly spoken of by the papers throughout the State, and by the numerous certificates of well known citizens. We think it a very valuable medicine. Those suffering from canker, ulcerated sores, tooth-ache, putrid sore mouth, &c., will do well to give it a trial. It is for sale by G. W. Kessler.

SCHOOL BOOKS.—A large lot of McGuffy's series of school books for sale at *ten per cent.* below cost, at H. Fettinger's news and book store, No. 1, Altoona House. Here is a good chance for country dealers. Call soon.

FINE GRAPES.—We are indebted to a friend for several bunches of grapes, from the arbor of Allen McCartney, of Bell's Mills. They were the finest we have seen this season.

MARRIED:

In this place, on the 3d inst., by Rev. John Leithard, Mr. WM. A. ADAMS to Miss MARY FERRY, both formerly of Lancaster.

With the above notice, we received, not the largest, but the best cake yet sent in on such an occasion. Our young friend and his fair lady have the good wishes of the "disciples of Faust and Guttemberg" for their future happiness and prosperity. Fortune always favors those who remember the printer, and we hope she may be the constant companion of the above couple.

On the 10th ult., at the residence of John Christy, in Juniata county, by Rev. M. Allison, Mr. MICHAEL MARSHALL, of this place, to Miss M. J. HOFFMAN, of Juniata county.

DIED.

In Altoona, on the 30th of September, Mrs. SOPHIA KENDIG, wife of George B. Kendig, in the twenty-fourth year of her age.

BOARDING.—A FEW GENTEEL boarders will find comfortable accommodations at the new house, corner of Virginia and Clara streets, West Altoona, if application be made soon. M. J. MOORE.
Oct. 11th, 1860. 3t.

ATTENTION!

WIDE-AWAKES!

YOU WILL MEET AT THE

Club Room

This (Thursday) Eve'g, Oct. 11th,

At 7 o'clock, Equipped for PARADE.

C. R. HOSTETTER, *Captain.*

CONFECTIONERY

AND OYSTER SALOON.

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD INFORM the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that his CONFECTIONERY, NUT and FRUIT STORE, is always supplied with the very best articles to be had, and in great variety. He has also an

OYSTER SALOON

attached to his store, in which he will serve up PRIME OYSTERS, in all styles.

He is at all times prepared to supply cakes, candies, &c., for pic-nics and other parties. He invites a share of public patronage, believing that he can render full satisfaction to all.

Remember, his store and saloon is on Virginia street, two doors below Patton's Hall. OTTO ROSSI.

DIRECT FROM NEW YORK.

R. A. O. KERR HAS JUST RETURNED from New York City with a beautiful assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

consisting in part of

Fancy Winter Silks, only 65 cents per yard,
Black Dress Silks " $1.20 per yard.
Jaconet Cloth—a beautiful fabric for ladies' dresses—Mexican Plaids,

Poil de Chevres, a most complete assortment of the latest patterns of Delaines, Opera Cloth, plain Delaines only 20 cents per yard, they have always been sold at 25 cts. in this market. Also, a beautiful assortment of the challenge Wansutta Prints, now acknowledged to be the best prints in market, and a handsome assortment of fast colored prints from 5 to 10 cts per yard,

Shawls, Cloaks, Opera Caps,

Woolen Undersleeves for ladies and children, an unsurpassed stock of Hosiery, together with an abundance and variety of everything in the Notion and Trimming line.

He calls special attention to his beautiful assortment of

QUEENSWARE,

which is acknowledged to be the most complete of any in the town, and sold at prices defying competition. Tea sets, consisting of 46 pieces, sold at $4 00.

BOOTS AND SHOES,

directly from New York, and bought from first hands.

BRUSSELS, ALL WOOL, INGRAIN, LIST, HEMP AND RAG CARPETS,

OIL CLOTHS from 1 to 2 yards wide.

His stock of

GROCERIES

is complete in every respect, and will be sold at as low a figure as any house this side of the city.

Oct. 11, 1860.

Great Rush to "DAN'S,"

THE OLD FREIGHT CONDUCTOR'S

Cheap Clothing Store,

In Kessler's old Drug Store, on Virginia St.

"DAN" IS DETERMINED NOT to be out-done by any one in the sale of

READY-MADE CLOTHING

and other Notions. He has a large stock of Overcoats, of the best quality and latest styles, black and fancy and plain and fancy *SILK VESTS*, Frock and Dress *COATS* and *PANTS*, of every color, quality and style, for men and boys.

Gents Shawls, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes of every style, quality and price for old and young, Ladies fine Dress and Morocco Boots, Men's Morocco lace Boots, Ladies and Misses' Gaiters, and a great variety of Children's Shoes. Ladies Nolies, Children's fancy Hats and Hoods. Gent's Shirts, Undershirts and Drawers. Collars, Gloves, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs; Ladies' Gloves, Mitts, Hosiery, &c., in great variety.

Also, a large assortment of CARPETING of all styles and prices, various patterns of Oil Cloths, Table Covers, Blankets, Muslin, Sheeting, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Valises, Ladies' Morocco Sachels, Umbrellas, Parasols, &c. Also,

WATCHES AND JEWELRY

of every description, such as Breast Pins, Ear-Rings, Finger Rings, Lockets, Bracelets, Gold and Silver Fob Chains, Children's Gold and Coral Tuck-ups, Gent's Shirt Studs, Ladies and Gent's Sleeve Buttons, silver Table and Tea Spoons, Portmonaies, Pocket Knives, Pistols, Pocket, Side and Back Combs; Tooth, Hair and Clothes Brushes; Soaps and Toilet Articles, &c., &c., all of which will be sold at *the lowest prices.* Be sure and call at "Dan's" before you go elsewhere and you will save money.

D. LAUGHMAN, *Agent.*

Altoona, Oct. 4, 1860. 3m

GREAT EXCITEMENT!

AT THE

"MODEL STORE!"

WE ARE HAPPY TO INFORM our friends that we are again on hands with an unusually large stock of

FALL GOODS,

which we think have been bought at prices that will enable us to compete with any other house in this section of country. We have now on hands a larger stock of fine Goods than has heretofore been brought to this place and we hope the ladies will appreciate our efforts to please their tastes by calling and looking at our stock, which we take pleasure in showing. We have many novelties in Dress Goods, among some of which are the following.

Wool Delaines, Mohair Mixtures, Oriental Lustres, Palestors, Brocade Mohairs, Silk Brilliants, Silk Poplins, Brocade Poplins, Chene Valencies, Rep Poplins, Figured Cashmeres, Mottled Merinos, Wool Plaids. Fig. French Merinos. Plain do.

Together with a full stock of all kinds of Domestic and Staple Dry Goods, Cloaking Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinetts, Tweeds, &c. Ladies, Misses and Children's Shawls, Cloaks and Cloth Dusters. Hosiery, Gloves, Woolen Goods, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Bed Comforts, Blankets, &c., &c.

We ask particular attention to our present stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

which we feel sure are cheaper than they can be bought elsewhere. We have also our usual supply of

Groceries, Queensware, Hardware,

Wooden and Willow Ware.

In a word, we think our present stock of Goods worth an examination by persons wishing to buy, and cordially invite our friends to drop in and see us.

Oct. 4, 1860. J. & J. LOWTHER.

A Novelty in the Art World!

PHOTOGRAPHY UPON PORCELAIN.

Secured by letters patent in the United States, England, France, and Belgium.

THE AMERICAN PHOTOGRAPHIC PORCELAIN COMPANY, *No. 781 Broadway, New York*, having secured their novel and ingenious invention by American and European patents, are fully prepared to execute all orders for

Miniature Likenesses of Persons on China

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As the patented process of the Company enables the reproduction of Photographs, not only on plain surfaces, but upon such as are found or of any degree of irregularity—portraits can be reproduced with faultless accuracy, and delicacy of definition, upon Porcelain wares of any description and dimension used as articles of luxury or of household utility, such as

Urns, Vases, Breakfast Cups, Toilet Articles, &c.;

thereby securing faithful portraits and furnishing a unique and exquisite style of ornamentation of articles in domestic use.

In order to furnish facilities for the gratification of the popular taste, and to meet the wants of those patrons of the Fine Arts desirous of having Portraits upon Porcelain, the Company have imported from Europe a collection of superior porcelain goods, manufactured to their own order, which they sell at cost prices.

As the American Company are owners of the patent right, and consequently the only persons authorized to use the process, they have determined, in order

To afford People in every section of the Union

an opportunity to possess

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Residents in the Country, who are unable to visit personally the Atelier and Galleries in New York.

Persons sending a photograph, ambrotype, or daguerreotype to the office of the Company in New York, accompanied by

FIVE DOLLARS,

they will secure in like manner,

A handsome French Vase or Toilet Article,

with the Portrait reproduced by the patented process.

By sending a pair of daguerreotypes and

FIFTEEN DOLLARS,

they will receive in return

A Pair of rich Sevres Vases,

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Vases of every Quality of Finish,

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N. B.—Be particular in writing the address, town, county and State distinctly.

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Oct. 4. 1860.—3m New York.

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LARGAST OF THE KIND

ever brought to this place. He has every variety in

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MEN AND BOYS' HATS AND CAPS,

For Fall and Winter Wear.

Also, all sizes, colors, shapes, and qualities of Ladies and Misses and Children's HATS and CLAPS, to which the attention of those in want of anything in this line is specially invited.

FURS! FURS! FURS!

I have now the largest and handsomest assortment of Furs ever offered to the ladies of Altoona, embracing

CAPES, MUFFS, CUFFS,

and everything in that line, for Ladies and Children, of American and European manufacture, and of every quality of Furs.

Persons in want of anything in the above line, will please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I am determined to sell at the very lowest possible prices.

Store on Virginia street, opposite the Lutheran church.

Altoona, Oct. 4, 1860-tf. JESSE SMITH.

DISSOLUTION.—THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Stewart & Long, in the Gas Fitting and Plumbing Business, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm will please call and settle their accounts; and all persons having claims against the firm will present them for settlement to G. W. STEWART, who will continue the busines at the old stand, in the rear of the Cheap Shoe Store, 2 doors below the Post Office.

Altoona, Sept. 7, 1860.-3t G. W. STEWART, H. B. LONG.

FOR SALE.—THE SUBSCRIBERS offer at Private Sale, an excellent DRAUGHT MARE, a first rate YORK SPRING WAGON, (with cover) and a sett of HARNESS.

Also—One of CLARK'S CELEBRATED FLOURING MILLS, which is competent to manufacture two barrels of flour per hour. It is ready to set up, with the exception of the bolt, which can be attatched with trifling cost.

Altoona, Sept. 27, '60. JOHN ALLISON & CO.

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THE SUNNY SOUTH

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Literary Notices from the Press throughout the Country.

THE SUNNY SOUTH.—This book is composed of a series of letters, written in an interesting style of a narrative, embodying the most romantic features of social life on different kinds of plantations. We can bear testimony, from our own personal observation of similar scenes in the South, to their truthfulness as here depicted. They are portrayed in a vivid, interesting style, and we would like to see the book in the hands of thousands of deceived people, who have no personal knowledge either of Southerners or Southern life, except what they have gained from partizan journals, or those who intentionally have written to deceive.—*Daily Republic. Buffalo, N. Y.*

THE SUNNY SOUTH.—This volume is in the form of letters. They give, so far as we can judge, faithful pictures of Southern life, and are penned without prejudice. They present scenes quite different from an 'Uncle Tom's Cabin,' the pictures presented here are quite graphic, and we think the portraits painted are in very nearly natural colors.—*Boston Daily Bee.*

THE SUNNY SOUTH.—We have rarely peeped within the covers of a more appetizing volume. Although not intended as an answer to the foul distruths in the Uncle Tom trash of the last ten years, it nevertheless does unmercifully hurl back to their source all lies of such a nature, and we are glad to believe that the book will be read in thousands of northern homes. The south also should take to it benignantly, for independent of its truthulness and integrity it is one of the liveliest and most entertaining books of the year.—*Times. Greensboro, N. C.*

THE SUNNY SOUTH.—The enterprising publisher, Geo. G. Evans, Philadelphia, of Gift Book notoriety, is weekly issuing new works of interest, and spreading them over the country, and his system of transacting business may be looked upon as an institution, for diffusing knowledge unequalled by any in the country. We commend this book to all.—*Daily News.*

THE SUNNY SOUTH.—This is a captivating volume, strongly illustrative of southern life. The heart of the authoress is with her theme, and she carries the interest of the reader along with her, as she, in her amusing off-hand style, delineates the peculiarities of a Southern home.—*Press.*

THE SUNNY SOUTH.—Whatever bears the name of Professor Ingraham is sure to involve the elements of striking effect and a wide popular currency: and this is just the case with "The Sunny South, or the Southerner at Home," which appears from the press of G. G. Evans, under the editorship of the graphic Professor. It is vivid in style, keenly observant, interesting in plot, and in purpose and manner it obviously springs from a warm heart, and will be as warmly welcomed by a host of readers.—*New Yorker.*

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September 27, 1860-1m

SCHOOL

FOR YOUNG LADIES,

ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

MISS H. A. BYERS will open in Altoona, on the 1st day of October, 1860, a School for Girls. All the Branches of a good English Education will be taught, and Classes to be instructed in French, Music, Drawing and Painting, will be received at the following charges:

Music, 3 quarter,	$10.00
French, "	5.00
Drawing, "	3.00
Painting, Water Color,	5.00
Painting, Oil;	8.00

Three months will constitute one quarter in any of the above branches.

The school year will be composed of two terms of 5 months each. The charge for tuition $1.00 per month, payable in advance, and the number of pupils limited to 25.

The discipline will be mild, but firm. Lessons will be assigned each pupil for study at home; and for absence or tardiness a written excuse will be demanded.

The school will be under the care and direction of Rev. Robert Oliver.

Altoona, Sept. 27, 1860.-tf

NEW GROCERY FEED AND PROVISION STORE.

The subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a store of the above kind, near the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a full supply of everything in his line. His

GROCERIES

are all fresh and will be sold at prices as low as those of any other establishment in town. His stock of provisions, consisting of

Flour, Hams, Shoulders, Side &c.

will be sold a little cheaper than they can be bought any where else. His Flour is obtained from the best mills in the Western part of the State, and is warranted to be what it is represented.

All kinds of Feed for horses, cows and hogs, always on hand.

I intend to keep such an assortment that I shall at all times be able to supply my customers with whatever they may need, and I intend also to sell at prices which will make it a saving to those who patronize my store.

July 22, 1858-3m. HENRY BELL.

HOWELL & BOURKE,

Manufacturers and Importers

OF

PAPER HANGINGS,

N. E. CORNER FOURTH AND MARKET STREETS,

PHILADELPHIA.

Sept. 20, 1860-3m

M. WILMOT,

TEACHER OF FRENCH AND DRAWING, may be found at Dr. Vickroy's, on Emma street. Best reference given. [Sept. 18, 1860-1m.

UDOLPHO WOLFE'S

AROMATIC

SCHNEIDAM SCHNAPPS

A SUPERLATIVE

TONIC, DIURETIC,

ANTI DYSPEPTIC

AND

INVIGORATING CORDIAL

TO THE CITIZENS OF NEW JERSEY AND PENNSYLVANIA,

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WOLFE'S Pure Cognac Brandy.
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ALL IN BOTTLES.

I beg leave to call the attention of the citizens of the United States to the above Wines and Liquors, imported by UDOLPHO WOLFE, of New York, whose name is familiar in every part of this country for the purity of his celebrated SCHNEIDAM SCHNAPPS. Mr. Wolfe, in his letter to me, speaking of the purity of his Wines and Liquors, says: "I will stake my reputation as a man, my standing as a merchant of thirty years' residence in the city of New York, that all the Brandy and Wines which I bottle are pure as imported, and of the best quality, and can be relied upon by every purchaser." Every bottle has the proprietor's name on the wax, and a fac simile of his signature of the certificate.—The public are respectfully invited to call and examine for themselves. For sale at Retail by all Apothecaries and Grocers in Philadelphia.

GEORGE H. ASHTON, No. 832 Market St., Phila.
Sole Agent for Philadelphia.

Read the following from the New York Courier:

ENORMOUS BUSINESS FOR ONE NEW YORK MERCHANT.—We are happy to inform our fellow-citizens that there 's one place in our city where the physician, apothecary, and country merchant, can go and purchase pure Wines and Liquors, as pure as imported, and of the best quality. We do not intend to give an elaborate description of this merchant's extensive business, although it will well repay any stranger or citizen to visit Udolpho Wolfe's extensive warehouse, Nos. 18, 20 and 22. Beaver street, and Nos. 17, 19 and 21. Marketfield street. His stock of Schnapps on hand ready for shipment could not have been less than thirty thousand cases: the Brandy, some ten thousand cases—Vintages of 1836 to 1858; and ten thousand cases of Madeira, Sherry and Port Wine, Scotch and Irish Whiskey, Jamaica and St. Croix Rum, some very old and equal to any in this country. He also had three large cellars, filled with Brandy, Wine, &c., in casks, under Custom-House key, ready for bottling. Mr. Wolfe's sales of Schnapps last year amounted to one hundred and eighty thousand dozen, and we hope in less than two years he may be equally successful with his Brandies and Wines.

His business merits the patronage of every lover of his species. Private families who wish pure Wines and Liquors for medical use should send their orders direct to Mr. Wolfe, until every Apothecary in the land make up their minds to discard the poisonous stuff from their shelves, and replace it with Wolfe's pure Wines and Liquors.

We understand that Mr. Wolfe, for the accommodation of small dealers in the country, puts up assorted cases of Wines and Liquors. Such a man, and such a merchant, should be sustained against the lies of thousands of opponents in the United States, who sell nothing but imitations, ruinous alike to human health and happiness.

Sept. 13, 1860-6m.is.

CHILDREN TEETHING

MRS. WINSLOW, AN EXPERIENCED NURSE AND FEMALE PHYSICIAN, presents to the attention of mothers her

SOOTHING SYRUP,

FOR CHILDREN TEETHING.

which greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums reducing all inflammation will allay pain and spasmodic action, and is *sure to regulate the Bowels.*

Depend upon it mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and *Relief and Health to your Infants.*

We have put up and sold this article for over ten years, and can say, in confidence and truth of it, what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—never has it failed, in a single instance, to effect a cure, when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfaction by any one who used it. On the contrary, all are delighted with its operations, and speak in terms of highest commendation of its magical effects and medical virtues. We speak in this matter "what we do know," after ten years' experience, and pledge our reputation for the fulfilment of what we here declare. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the syrup is administered.

This valuable preparation is the prescription of one of the most experienced and skillful nurses in New England, and has been used with never-failing success in *thousands of cases.*

It not only relieves the child from pain, but invigorates the stomach and bowels, corrects acidity, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. It will almost instantly relieve *Griping in the Bowels and Wind Colic*, and overcome convulsions, which, if not *speedily* remedied, end in death. We believe it the *best* and *surest remedy* in the world, in all cases of Dysentery and Diarrhœa in children, whether it arises from teething or from any other cause.—We would say to every mother who has a child suffering from any of the foregoing complaints—do not let your prejudices, nor the prejudices of others, stand between your suffering child and the relief that will be sure—yes, absolutely sure—to follow the use of this medicine, if timely used. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None genuine unless the fac-simile of CURTIS & PERKINS, New York, is on the outside wrapper.

Sold by Druggists throughout the world, and by G. W. Kessler and A. Roush, druggists, Altoona. Price 25 cents per bottle.

☞ Principal Office, No. 13 Cedar street, N. Y.

July 12, 1860-1y.

Cheap Goods! Cheap Goods!!

AT

McCORMICK'S STORE.

JUST ARRIVED, AND NOW BEING OPENED, a large stock of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, of all the late styles and qualities in the Eastern market. In the line of

LADIES' DRESS AND DOMESTIC GOODS,

we cannot be surpassed by any house in the place. Our stock of GROCERIES, such as

COFFEE, SUGAR, TEA, SYRUPS, &c.,

are of the best kind, and all fresh.

HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, HATS, CAPS, BONNETS, FLATS FOR LADIES AND MISSES,

together with as full assortment of

GENTLEMEN & BOYS' DRESS BOOTS, BOOTEES AND GAITERS.

In the Ladies' Department, are all the different and latest styles of

GAITERS, BOOTS, BUSKIN AND SLIPPERS,

together with a general assortment for Children & Misses, and a good and full stock of

GENTLEMENS', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING,

for Spring and Summer. The largest assortment of

WALL PAPER

ever brought to the place, and being unprecedently low, from 6¼ up to 25 cents per roll, with BORDERING to match.

And as we purpose henceforth to give the business our especial attention, we will sell very low for cash or country produce, and will take in exchange, as usual, *Butter, Eggs, Lard, Tallow, Potatoes, Beeswax, &c.* Thankful for past patronage, we hope, by a strict adherence to business, to our old motto, "*Small profits and quick sales,*" to retain our customers old and gain many new ones.

May 3, 1860.

NEW GROCERY AND LIQUOR STORE.—The undersigned would beg leave to announce to the citizens of Blair county and vicinity that he has opened his new Store on *Virginia street, three doors below the Superintendent's Office*, where he has just received from the East and West a large assortment of

Foreign and Domestic Liquors,

consisting as follows:

French Otard Brandy, Cognac Brandy, Peach Brandy, Cherry Brandy, Old Burgundy Wine, Old Port Wine, Jamaica Rum, Holland Gins Old Rye Whiskey, Monongahela Whiskey, and Shine Wine,

which he has himself imported. Retailers of Liquors and Farmers will find it to their advantage to buy of him, as he will sell at CITY PRICES.

He will also keep constantly on hand an assortment of

GROCERIES,

Such as Flour, Bacon, Salt, Fish, Tobacco, Segars, Syrup, Sugar, Coffee, &c. &c.,

All of which will be sold cheap for cash or Country Produce.

Our friends and the public generally are respectfully invited to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

Altoona, May 26, 1859.-tf LOUIS PLACK.

FLOUR.—A CHOICE LOT OF EXTRA FAMILY FLOUR for sale by STEWART & THOMPSON,
Sept. 13, 1860-tf] One Door Below the Post Office.

TWO SMALL HOUSES AND LOTS for sale. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.
Sept. 20, 1860-tf At the Post Office.

THE

ONLY PREPARATION

THAT HAS

STOOD THE TEST OF YEARS

AND GROWS MORE POPULAR EVERY DAY!

And testimonials, new and almost without number might be given from ladies and gentlemen in all grades of society, whose united testimony none could resist, that Professor Wood's Hair Restorative will restore the bald and gray, and preserve the hair of the youth to old age, in all its youthful beauty.

BATTLE CREEK, Mich., Dec. 21st, 1859.

PROF. WOOD:—There will please accept a line to inform thee that the hair on my head all fell off over twenty years ago, caused by a complicated chronic disease, attended with an eruption on the head. A continual course of suffering through life having reduced me to a state of dependence, I have not been able to obtain stuff for caps, neither have I been able to do them up, in consequence of which my head has suffered extremely from cold. This induced me to pay Briggs & Hodges almost the last cent I had on earth for a two dollar bottle of thy Hair Restorative about the first of August last. I have faithfully followed the directions and the bald spot is now covered with hair thick and black, though short, it is

SAVING FUND.

National SAFETY TRUST Company.

SAVING FUND.—NATIONAL SAFETY TRUST COMPANY.—CHARTERED BY THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

RULES.

1. Money is received every day, and in any amount, large or small.

2. FIVE PER CENT. interest is paid for money from the day it is put in.

3. The money is always paid back in GOLD, whenever it is called for, and without notice.

4. Money is received from *Executors, Administrators, Guardians*, and others who desire to have it in a place of perfect safety, and where interest can be obtained for it.

5. The money received from depositors is invested in REAL ESTATE, MORTGAGES, GROUND RENTS, and such other first class securities as the Charter directs.

6. Office Hours—Every day from 9 till 5 o'clock, and on Mondays and Thursdays till 8 o'clock in the evening.

HON. H. L. BENNER, President.
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W. J. REED, Secretary.

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HERBERT L. BENNER,	FRANCIS LEE,
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Office: Walnut Street, S. W. Corner of Third St. Philadelphia. April 14th, '59-1y.

LOTTERIES,

AUTHORIZED BY THE STATES OF DELAWARE, MISSOURI AND KENTUCKY.

Draw daily, in public, under the superintendence of Sworn Commissioners, at Wilmington, Delaware, and St. Louis, Missouri.

☞ The Managers' Offices are located at Wilmington, Del., St. Louis, Mo. and Louisville, Ky.

Prizes vary from $2½ to $100,000!

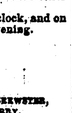
TICKETS FROM $2½ TO $20!

☞ Circulars, giving full Explanation and the Schemes to be drawn, will be sent, free of expense, by addressing

WOOD, EDDY & CO., St. Louis, Mo.
OR, WOOD, EDDY & CO., Wilmington, Delaware.

January 5, 1860.-1y

Stoves, Tin & Sheet Iron Ware,



SPOUTING, &C.

S. RIGG WOULD RESPECTfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Cooking, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves*, of all styles and sizes, to suit the wants of all, which he will sell at low prices, on reasonable terms.

He also keeps on hand a large stock of *Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware*, consisting of all articles for culinary purposes—*Coal Scuttles, Stove Pipe, &c.*

He has also purchased the right of sale in Blair county, of R. V. JONES'

IMPROVED SAUSAGE STUFFER,

an invention which needs only to be seen to be appreciated and should be possessed by every farmer, butcher or those requiring such a machine.

☞ Particular attention paid to putting up SPOUTING, either in town or country. Spouting painted and put up on the most reasonable terms. [april 14, 1859-1y

RAIL ROAD LANDS FOR SALE,

ON LONG CREDIT,

AND AT LOW RATES OF INTEREST

THE HANIBAL AND ST. JOSEPH RAILROAD COMPANY, having over 600,000 ACRES of LAND lying in the State of Missouri, which was granted, by Act of Congress, to aid in the construction of their Road, offer the principal portion thereof, for sale, on the most liberal terms.

The greater part of these lands are within six, and all within fifteen miles of the Railroad, which is now completed, and open for use throughout its entire length (206 miles,) and runs through a country which is unsurpassed by any, in the salubrity of its climate, the fertility of its soil, and the extent of its mineral resources.

For further information, apply at the Land office of the Company, or address by letter,

JOSIAH HUNT,
Land Commissioner, H. & St. Jo. R. R.
Hannibal, Mo. Feb. 2, '60.-1y.*

GROCERY, PROVISION, AND WHOLESALE LIQUOR STORE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD INform the public that he has purchased the interest of A. MILLIRON in the Grocery and Provision Store heretofore kept by them on Virginia street, below Caroline St., where he will continue the business, and will keep constantly on hand a large supply of

FLOUR, HAMS, SHOULDERS, SIDES,
DRIED BEEF, FISH, SALT, MOLASSES, COFFEE, TEA,
SUGAR, SPICES, CONFECTIONARIES,

and everything usually kept in Grocery and Provision Stores, all of which he receives fresh from the eastern and western cities, and will sell at the most reasonable prices.

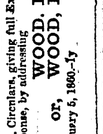
Having recently obtained license to sell liquor by wholesale, I will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of liquors of the best qualities to be had.

Respectfully solicit a share of public custom.

July 12, 1860.-6m. J. BERKOWITZ.

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH now agitates the mind of every person is, where can I get the best article for my money? In regard to other matters, the subscriber would not attempt to direct, but if you want anything in the line of

BOOTS OR SHOES



he invites an examination of his stock and work.

He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., which he offers at fair prices.

He will give special attention to custom work, all of which will be warranted to give satisfaction. None but the best workmen are employed.

Remember my shop is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store.

September 3, '57-tf JOHN H. ROBERTS.

AT THE OLD STAND!!

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD INform the public that he has just received from the East a splendid assortment of

CLOTHS AND VESTINGS,

FOR SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING,

which he will make to order on short notice and reasonable terms, and warrants to give satisfaction. Persons in want of anything in his line can rely upon being fairly dealt with. JOHN O'DONNEL.

☞ Shop on Main St., a few doors below the "Red Lion Hotel." [May 24, 1860.

FURNITURE WARE-ROOM.—THE undersigned respectfully informs the public that he has taken the ware-room two doors from the Branch Road, where he will keep on hand all kinds of

CABINET-WARE,

and attend to the duties of an UNDERTAKER.

Two good Cabinet-Makers and one apprentice wanted.

Altoona, Apr. 12, 1860. JAS. T. MOORE.

B. F. ROYER, M. D.,

Offers his professional services to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity.

The best of references can be given if required.

Office at residence on Branch street, East Altoona, three doors above Conrad's Store. April 28 '59-1y.

SHOE-FINDINGS.—JUST RECEIved a good assortment of Shoe-Findings, of all descriptions, which we will sell at low prices for cash.

July 19, 1860. STEWART & THOMPSON.

PURE WHITE LEAD AND ZINC Paint, also Chrome. Green, Yellow, Paris Green, Dry ground oil at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S

HAIR OILS, COLOGNES, POMades, Shaving Cream, Toilet Soaps, &c. for sale by 1-'61 G. W. KESSLER.

PROF. L. MILLER'S HAIR INVIGORATOR!!

AN EFFECTIVE, SAFE AND ECONOMICAL COMPOUND,

FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR to its original color without dyeing, and preventing the hair from turning gray.

FOR PREVENTING BALDNESS, and curing it, when there is the least particle of vitality or recuperative energy remaining.

FOR REMOVING SCURF AND DANDRUFF, and all cutaneous affections at the Scalp.

FOR BEAUTIFYING THE HAIR, imparting to it an unequalled gloss and brilliancy, making it soft and silky in its texture and causing it to curl readily.

The great celebrity and the increasing demand for this unequalled preparation, convince the proprietor that one trial is only necessary to satisfy a discerning public of its superior qualities over any other preparation at present in use. It cleanses the head and scalp from *dandruff and other cutaneous diseases*, causes the hair to grow luxuriently, and gives it a rich, soft, glossy flexible appearance, and also where the hair is loosening and thining, it will give strength and vigor to the roots, and restore the growth to those parts which have become bald, causing it to yield a *fresh covering of hair.*

There are hundreds of ladies and gentlemen in New York who have had their hair restored by the use of this Invigorator, when all other preparations had failed. L. M. has in his possession letters unanswerable testifying to the above facts, from persons of the highest respectability. It will effectually prevent the *hair from turning gray* until the latest period of life; and in cases where the hair has already changed its color, the use of the Invigorator will with certainty *restore it to its original hue*, giving it a dark, glossy appearance. As a perfume for the toilet and a Hair Restorative it is particularly recommended, having an agreeable fragrance; and the great facilities it affords in *dressing the hair*, which, when made with the Invigorator can be dressed in any required form so as to preserve its place, whether plain or in curls—hence the great demand for it by the ladies as a *standard toilet article* which none ought to be without, as the price places it within the reach of all, being

ONLY 25 CENTS

per bottle, to be had at all respectable druggists and perfumers.

L. MILLER would call the attention of Parents and Guardians to the use of the Invigorator, in cases where the childrens' Hair inclines to be weak. The use of it lays the foundation for a *good head of hair*, as it removes any impurities that may have become connected with the scalp, the removal of which is necessary both for the health of the child, and the future appearance of its Hair.

CAUTION.—None genuine without the fac simile LOUIS MILLER being on the outer wrapper; also, L. MILLER'S HAIR INVIGORATOR, N. Y. blown in the glass.

Wholesale Depot, 56 Dey St., and sold by all the principal Merchants and Druggists throughout the world.

Liberal discount to purchasers by the quantity.

I also desire to present to the American Public my

New and Improved Instantaneous LIQUID HAIR DYE

which after years of scientific experimenting I have brought to perfection. It dyes Black or Brown instantly without injury to the Hair or Skin, warranted the best article of the kind in existence.

Price, Only 50 Cents.

Aug. 23, '60-1y. Depot, 56 Dey St., New York.

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will at all times be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

Also a large stock of excellent Wines, for medicinal purposes, together with a lot of the best old Rye Whiskey to be found in the country.

Altoona, May 27, 1859.-1y] JOHN BOWMAN.

HOWARD ASSOCIATION, PHILADELPHIA.

A Benevolent Institution established by Special Endowment, for the Relief of the Sick and Distressed, afflicted with Virulent and Epidemic Diseases, and especially for the Cure of Diseases of the Sexual Organs.

Medical Advice given gratis, by the Acting Surgeon, to all who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, (age, occupation, habits of life, &c.,) and in cases of extreme poverty, Medicines furnished free of charge.

VALUABLE REPORTS on Spermatorrhœa, and other diseases of the Sexual Organs, and on the NEW REMEDIES employed in the Dispensary, sent to the afflicted in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Two or three Stamps for postage will be acceptable.

Address, DR. J. SKILLON HOUGHTON, Acting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors.

EZRA D. HEARTWELL, *Pres't.*
GEO. FAIRCHILD, *Sec'y.* [Jan. 19, '60.-1y

GLENN'S

ONE PRICE HAT AND CAP STORE,

(CORNER OF THE FIVE STORY BLOCK,)

North West Corner of Eighth and Race Streets, PHILADELPHIA.

THE PUBLIC ARE RESPECTFULLY invited to bear in mind that at this Store may be found an assortment of fashionable and handsome

Moleskin Dress Hats, Soft Hats,

High, Low and Medium Depth Crown, Cloth and Glazed Caps, Plush and Pine Trimmed Caps for Men and Boys, Fancy Hats and Caps for Children, at Fair Prices.

☞ NO TWO PRICES FOR REGULAR GOODS.☜

Jan. 12, 1860.-1y

RED LION HOTEL,

ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

This old established and popular HOTEL, located nearly opposite the place of stopping the passenger cars in Altoona, has passed into the hands of the present proprietor.—Long experience in the business warrants me in assuring the travelling public that no pains will be spared to render guests as comfortable as possible while sojourning under my roof.

The TABLE will constantly be supplied with the very best the market affords.

The BAR will be found to contain an excellent assortment of LIQUORS of all kinds, including that choice beverage *LAGER BEER.*

The STABLE is in charge of an excellent and experienced Ostler.

The proprietor hopes, by his long experience in the busines and the facilities at his command, to make the Red Lion, in all respects, a first class Hotel. The business of the Hotel will be under my own personal supervision. A liberal share of public patronage is kindly solicited.

JOHN W. SCHWEIGERT, *Proprietor.*

May 19, 1859.-tf

TO THE PUBLIC.—THE SUBSCRIBER (having taken the establishment heretofore owned by Samuel I. Fries,) would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that he has removed his

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

TIN, SHEET-IRON WARE & STOVE STORE,

to the new building on Annie street, between Harrlet and Adeline streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of everything in his line, which he will dispose of on reasonable terms.

ROOFING & SPOUTING

put up on short notice. He also manufactures LEADED IRON SPOUTING, which is said to be much superior to galvanized sheet-iron or tin.

He has also attached a copper-smithing room to his establishment and will keep on hand an assortment of copper and brass kettles, &c.

All kinds of job work promptly attended to.

A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

STEPHEN WINTERS.

Altoona, Aug. 16th, 1860.

SAMUEL EWART. WM. M. GORMLY. WM. CURRY

W. M. GORMLY & CO.,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

DEALERS IN

FLOUR, GRAIN, SEEDS, BACON, MESS PORK, DRIED BEEF, SUGAR-CURED HAMS, CHEESE, IRON, NAILS, GLASS, &c., &c.

NO. 271 LIBERTY STREET,

OPPOSITE EAGLE HOTEL,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

May 10, 1860.-6m.

Bakery and Grocery Store.

THE SUBSCRIBER KEEPS CONSTANTLY on hand

Fresh-Baked Bread, Cakes, &c.

FEED, BACON, FLOUR, GROCERIES,

Also, a choice lot of SEGARS and TOBACCO.

JACOB RINK,

Nov. 10. Virginia Street, below Annie Street.

MEDICATED FUR CHEST PROTECTOR, A SAFE SHIELD AGAINST THOSE fearful diseases Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, and other affections of the Lugs, which arise from the exposed state of the chest, *according to fashion* and the continual changes of our Climate, for sale at the Drug Store of G. W. KESSLER.

MOFFAT'S LIFE PILLS and PHŒNIX BITTERS.

THESE MEDICINES HAVE NOW been before the public for a period of thirty years, and during that time have maintained a high character in almost every part of the globe, for their extraordinary and immediate power of restoring perfect health to persons suffering under nearly every kind of disease to which the human frame is liable.

The following are among the distressing variety of human diseases in which the

VEGETABLE LIFE MEDICINES

are well known to be infallible.

DYSPEPSIA, by thoroughly cleansing the first and second stomachs, and creating a flow of pure, healthy bile, instead of the stale and acrid kind; FLATULENCY, Loss or Appetite, Heartburn, Headache, Restlessness, Ill Temper, Anxiety, Langour, and Melancholy, which are the general symptoms of Dyspepsia, will vanish, as a natural consequence of its cure.

COSTIVENESS, by cleansing the whole length of the intestines with a solvent process, and without violence; all violent purges leave the bowels costive within two days.

FEVERS of all kinds, by restoring the blood to a regular circulation, through the process of respiration in such cases, and the thorough solution of all intestinal obstruction in others.

The Life Medicines have been known to cure RHEUMATISM permanently in three weeks, and GOUT in half that time, by removing local inflammation from the muscles and ligaments of the joints.

DROPSIES of all kinds, by freeing and strengthening the kidneys and bladder; they operate most delightfully on these important organs, and hence have ever been found a certain remedy for the worst cases of GRAVEL.

Also WORMS, by dislodging from the turnings of the bowels the slimy matter to which these creatures adhere.

SCURVY, ULCERS, and INVETERATE SORES, by the perfect purity which these LIFE MEDICINES give to the blood, and all the humors.

SCORBUTIC ERUPTIONS and BAD COMPLEXIONS, by their alterative effect upon the fluids that feed the skin, and the morbid state of which occasions all eruptive complaints, sallow, cloudy, and other disagreeable complexions.

The use of these Pills for a very short time will effect an entire cure of SALT RHEUM, and a striking improvement in the clearness of the skin. COMMON COLDS and INFLUENZA will always be cured by one dose, or by two in the worst cases.

PILES.—The original proprietor of these medicines, was cured of Piles, of 35 years standing, by the use of the Life Medicines alone.

FEVER & AGUE.—For this scourge of the Western country, these medicines will be found a safe, speedy and certain remedy. Other medicines leave the system subject to a return of the disease—a cure by these medicines is permanent—try them, be satisfied, and be cured.

BILLIOUS FEVERS and LIVER COMPLAINTS.—General debility, loss of appetite and diseases of females—the medicines to be been used with the most beneficial results in cases of this description:—Kings Evil and Scrofula, in its worst forms, yields to the mild yet powerful action of those remarkable Medicines. Night Sweats, Nervous Debility, Nervous Complaints of all kinds. Palpitation of the Heart, Painters' Colic, are speedily cured.

MERCURIAL DISEASES.—Persons whose constitutions have become impaired by the injudicious use of Mercury, will find these medicines a perfect cure, as they never fail to eradicate from the system all the effects of Mercury, infinitely sooner than the most powerful preparation of Sarsaparilla.

Prepared and sold by W. B. MOFFAT.
335 Broadway, New York.
For sale by all Druggists. [Sept. 13, 1860-1y.

MARRIAGE GUIDE—BEING A private instructor for married persons, or those about to be married both male and female, in everything concerning the physiology and relations of our system, and the production or prevention offspring, including all the new discoveries never before given in the English language, by WM. YOUNG, M. D. This is really a valuable and interesting work. It is written in plain language for the general reader, and is illustrated with numerous Engravings.—All young married people, or those contemplating marriage, and having the least impediment to married life, should read this book. It discloses secrets that every one should be acquainted with; still it is a book that must be locked up, and not lie about the house. It will be sent to any one on the receipt of twenty-five cents in specie or in postage stamps Address DR. WM. YOUNG, No. 416 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

☞ AFFLICTED AND UNFORTUNATE—No matter what may be your disease, before you place yourself under the care of any one of the notorious quacks—native or foreign—who advertise in this or any other paper, get a copy of either of Dr. Young's Books, and read it carefully. It will be the means of saving you many a dollar, your health and possibly your life.

DR. YOUNG can be consulted on any of the diseases described in his publications, at his Office, No. 416 Spruce St. above Fourth. [Apr. 12.'60.-1yeow.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!

Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

EVERY person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine those Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.

Aug. 19, 1858-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

THE GREEN BOOK. JUST PUBLISHED, 150 PAGES. PRICE 25 Cents: On Single and Married life; or, the Institution of Marriage; its Intent, Obligations, and Physical and Legal Disbnalments; its modifications; the *rational* treatment of ill private diseases in both sexes, &c. To which is added a poetical essay, entitled "*Callipœdiae*;" or the art of having and rearing beautiful and healthy children, by the *late* ROBERT J. CULVERWELL, Esq., M. D.

Sent free of postage, by the Publishers, CHAS. KLINE & Co., Box 4586, New York, or *Dexter & Co.*, Wholesale agents 113 Nassau Street, New York. *Agents wanted everywhere.*

Also, GRATIS, an extract and sample of the above entitled: *Dr. Culverwell's Lecture* on the rational treatment of Spermatorrhœa and private diseases generally, detailing the means by which invalids may effectually cure themselves without the use of dangerous medicines, and at but little expense to themselves. Sent free by mail in a secure envelope, on the receipt of one stamp, to pay postage, by addressing, CHAS. KLINE & CO.,
Feb. 22, 1859. Box 4586, New York City.

HOUSE, SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTING.—MESSRS. KEYS & WALSH respectfully announce to the public that they are prepared to do all kinds of

HOUSE, SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTING,

in a workmanlike manner and at low prices. They also keep constantly on hand and for sale, at lowest prices,

OIL, GLASS, PUTTY & PAINTERS' TOOLS;

ALSO, LOOKING GLASSES, STAINED & ENGRAVED WINDOW GLASS, LOOKING GLASS & PICTURE FRAMES, GILT AND ROSEWOOD MOULDINGS,

CARVED & ORNAMENTAL GILT FRAMES.

☞ All Orders left at A. Roush's Drug Store, Altoona, will receive prompt attention.

Shop on Montgomery street, Hollidaysburg, Pa.

April 5, 1860.-tf.

CANCER INSTITUTE.

After many years of successful practice, DR. KELLING still desires to do good to the afflicted. He continues to cure all kinds of

CANCERS, TUMORS, WENS, SCROFULA, or KINGS EVIL, SORES, &C.,

if curable, without cutting or poison. He does not confine himself merely to the cure of the above diseases, but will treat all others with success. Patients will be visited, if desired, a reasonable distance. Persons desiring to visit Dr. K. will please stop at the Railroad Hotel in Mechanicsburg, where they will be directed to his residence. For all particulars write—state diseases plainly. Enclose a postage stamp to prepay answer. Address Dr. C. L. KELLING, Mechanicsburg, Cumberland Co., Pa.

Sept. 13, 1860-6m

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers at Private Sale the HOUSE and LOT now occupied by her, on the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona. The House is a good Two-Story Frame Building, containing a Hall, Parlor, Dining-Room and Kitchen on the first floor, four good sleeping rooms on the second floor, & a finished Attic. The lot is in good order.

Persons wishing to view the premises and obtain further information will call upon the subscriber.

MARGT. M. McCRUM.

Altoona, Aug. 11th, 1859-tf.

CAUTION.—ALL PERSONS ARE hereby notified not to purchase or sell any lager beer kegs with the stamp of the ALTOONA BREWERY thereon, as such kegs never have been and never will be sold from the Brewery. All kegs containing said stamp will be claimed and taken, wherever found, by the proprietors of the Brewery to whom they belong.

July 28th 1859-tf. WILHELM & BRO.

REMOVAL.—A. M. KING, SHOEMAKER, informs the public that he has taken the Room next door to the *Tribune* Office, on Virginia Street, where he is prepared to manufacture every style of WOMEN'S SHOES, at reasonable prices, and in a substantial manner. [Mar. 15,'60-tf.

BOOT AND SHOEMAKER—JOHN STEHLE has taken a portion of the room occupied by A. M. KING, next door to J. W. Rigg's Tin Shop, and announces himself ready to get up Men's Boots & Shoes in good style and at low rates. [Mar. 15,'60-tf.

HAIR, HAT, TOOTH, SHAVING, Paint, Sash and Varnish Brushes at KESSLER'S.

A Through Ticket to California!

S. C. COLBERT & CO'S

FIFTH GRAND QUARTERLY DISTRIBUTION OF 100,000 ARTICLES, WORTH $50,000,

Which will be sold for $100,000, to the purchasers of our ☞ GOLDEN PENS AT 30 CTS. PER BOX. ☜

Our Golden Pen is the best ever used, and is warranted not to corode in any ink. Every business man and family should use the Golden Pen.

The following list of 100,000 articles will be distributed among our patrons at $1.00 each, and need not be paid for until we inform the purchaser which of the following articles we will sell him for $1,00 and then it is optional whether he sends the dollar and takes the goods or not. All goods can be returned at our expense within ten days after the purchaser receives them, (unless they are satisfactory,) and the money will be refunded.

LIST OF GOODS INCLUDED IN THE DISTRIBUTION.

Pianos, Cameo Ear-drops,
Gold Hunting cased Watches, Mosaic and Jet Ear-Drops,
Gold Watches, Lava a Florentine Ear-Drops,
Ladies' Silver Watches, Coral Ear-Drops,
Guard, Vest and Chatelain Chains,
Coral, Emerald, and Opal Brooches,
Cameo Brooches, Emerald and Opal Ear-Drops,
Mosaic and Jet Brooches, Hands-me Seal Rings,
Lava a Florentine Brooches, Mosaic and Cameo Bracelets,
Gents Breastpins, Watch Keys, Fob and Ribbon Slides, Sets of Bosom Studs, Sleeve Buttons, Plain Rings, Stone Set Rings, Sets Ladies' Jewelry, Canton Crape Shawls, Mousseline de Laines, Challies, French and American Lawns, Berages, Poplins, French Calicoes, and other Ladies' Dress Goods in great variety, together with Head Dresses, Cahas, Fancy Fans, and in fact almost every description of goods usually found in first class dry goods stores.

PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION.

HIGHEST PREMIUM $100 LOWEST PREMIUM $2.

The articles are numbered, and Certificates stating what we will sell each person for $1.00 are placed in sealed envelopes, with a decimal arrangement of premiums; so that in each hundred certificates there is one for a Gold Watch, and there will also be a splendid premium in each ten certificates.

Ladies, if you desire a fine shawl, or dress pattern, or a beautiful article of jewelry, enclose us 30 cents for a box of the Golden Pens, and we will send you a certificate which may enable you to procure it for $1.

On receipt of 30 cents we will send you a box of our Golden Pens, and a sealed notice of the article which we will sell for $1.

TRY US.

PRICES TO AGENTS, POST PAID.

4 Boxes *Pens* with 4 Certificates,			$1
9	do	do 9 do	2
25	do	do 25 do	5
100	do	do 100 do	18

N. B.—With each package of 100 boxes we present the purchaser 100 certificates, one of which is guaranteed to contain one order for a FINE WATCH, or sewing machine, or by ordering 50 boxes in one package you are sure to receive 50 certificates containing one order for a splendid SILVER WATCH, beside a large number of other very valuable premiums. One certificate sent gratis, upon application of any person desiring to act as agent, which may enable him to procure a valuable premium upon the payment of $1.

PIANOS, MELODEONS, MUSIC, BOOKS, SEWING MCHINES, &C.,

Bought and sold on commission. Any article will be sent to the country at the lowest wholesale prices with the addition of 5 per cent commission for forwarding.

N. B.—Agents wanted in every town. Circulars sent on application.

Address all communications to S. C. COLBERT & CO.,
Commission Merchants & General Agents,
138 South Fourth street, below Chestnut, Philada.

☞ For our integrity and ability to fulfil our engagements, we beg to refer you to the following well known gentlemen and business firms:—

His Excellency, J. W. Geary, (Ex-Gov. of Kansas) Westmoreland, Pa.; Palmer, Richardson & Co., Jewelers, Philada; E. A. Warne, Esq., Jeweler, Philada.; Wm. A. Gray, Esq., Jeweler, Philada; Remmerer & Moore, Water street below Arch; Pratt & Heath, Fifth and Market sts; J. C. Fuller, Jeweler, Philada; A. F. Ward, Publisher of Fashions, &c., Philada: M. H. Horne, Catasauqua Bank; Hon. L. M. Burson, Eureka, California. [Sept 13, 1860-3m.

GREAT IMPROVEMENT IN COOKING STOVES.

CONSUMPTION OF SMOKE AND GAS AND SAVING OF FUEL.

The subscriber takes pleasure in offering to the public NEW GAS AND SMOKE CONSUMING Cooking Stove, recently patented, which is destined to supercede all others, as it requires

ONE-THIRD LESS FUEL

than other stoves and is more easily, quickly and regularly heated. No unpleasant smell of gas arises from this stove from the fact that it is all consumed ere it can escape. There is no trouble from smoke as that unpleasant and often annoying exhalation is also consumed inside of the stove Neither is there any danger of flues or chimneys becoming clogged with soot or the mortar loosened by the gas arising from coal fires.

Persons wishing to purchase stoves are invited to call at the store of the subscriber, in the Masonic Temple, and examine the above stoves. JOHN SHOEMAKER.

Sole Agent for Blair County.

N. B. All kinds of Air-tight, Parlor Cooking and Egg Stoves on hand. [Aug. 12. 1856.

PHILADELPHIA WATCH AND JEWELRY STORE.

O. CONRAD, FORMER OCCUPANT.

No. 148 N. 2d St., corner of Quarry St.

The undersigned has leased the above premises, where he will keep a large assortment of Gold and Silver Watches, of American, English and Swiss manufacture of the most celebrated makers. In addition to which will be found always on hand (and made to order) an extensive variety of Jewelry, Silver and Silver Plated ware, together with a general assortment of such goods as are usually kept in a first-class Watch and Jewelry Store.

The patrons of O. Conrad, and those of the subscriber, together with the public generally, are invited to call, and they will receive a good article for their money. As I am determined to do a cash business, goods will be sold very low. "*Small Profits and Quick Sales*" is the motto of this Establishment. DEWIS R. BROOMALL,

Formerly O. Conrad.

No. 148 N. Second St., cor. of Quarry, Philada.

June 7, 1860.-1y.

De Forest, Armstrong & Co.,

DRY GOODS MERCHANTS,

80 & 82 Chambers St., N. Y.,

WOULD NOTIFY THE TRADE that they are opening Weekly, in new and beautiful patterns, the

WAMSUTTA PRINTS,

ALSO THE

AMOSKEAG,

A New Print, which excels every Print in the Country for perfection of execution and design in full Madder Colors. Our Prints are cheaper than any in market, and meeting with extensive sale. Orders promptly attended to.

Feb'y 2, 1860.-1y

PLANING MILL & SASH MANUFACTORY.—The subscriber would announce that he has removed his

Planing Mill and Sash Manufactory,

from Tipton to Altoona, where he will continue to fill orders and attend to all work entrusted to him, with despatch. The Mill is on the lot adjoining Allison's Steam Flouring Mill. THOS. McAULEY.

Altoona, Nov. 17, 1859.—tf

SHOE LEATHER.—We have just received a good stock of the best Red and Oak Sole Leather. We have also a good assortment of Goat and French Morocco. French and Country Calf Skins, Uppers, Kips, Linings, Bindings, &c., all of which we will at low prices and warrant to give satisfaction.

Please call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. Don't forget place—two doors below the Post Office

July 19, 1860. STEWART & THOMPSON.

HOUSE AND LOT AT PRIVATE SALE.—The Gate-House and Lot belonging to the ALTOONA AND HOLLIDAYSBURG PLANK ROAD CO., situate ½ mile from Altoona, is offered at Private Sale. For terms and further particulars inquire of JOSEPH DYSART, President of the Company. [April 26, 1860.-tf.

LUMBER FOR SALE.

60,000 SHINGLES, 50,000 LATHES,
and all kinds of BUILDING MATERIALS, lower than the lowest, for Cash. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.

GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.—Insurance on Real or personal property will be effected on the most reasonable terms by their agents in Altoona at his office in Anna St.

March 17, 1859. JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

LEVI'S PREPARATION FOR EXterminating RATS, MICE, ROACHES, ANTS, and Bed-bugs without danger in its use under any circumstances for sale at the Drug Store of

Jan. 24,'56-tf] G. W. KESSLER.

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail.—Apply to J. SHOEMAKER,
Dec. 11, 1856-tf. Masonic Temple.

ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS, Trusses Braces for sale at
1-tf KESSLER'S.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

The proprietors and manufacturers of HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS can appeal with perfect confidence to physicians and citizens generally of the United States, because the article has attained a reputation heretofore unknown. A few facts upon this point will speak more powerfully than volumes of bare assertion or blazoning puffery. The consumption of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for the last year amounted to over a half-million bottles, and from its manifest steady increase in times past, it is evident that during the coming year the consumption will reach near one million bottles. This immense amount could never have been sold but for the rare medicinal properties contained in the preparation, and the sanction of the most prominent physicians in those sections of the country where the article is best known, who not only recommend the Bitters to their patients, but are ready at all times to give testimonials to its efficacy in all cases of stomachic derangements and the diseases resulting therefrom.

This is not a temporary popularity, obtained by extraordinary efforts in the way of trumpeting the qualities of the Bitters, but a solid estimation of an invaluable medicine, which is destined to be as enduring as time itself.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters have proved a Godsend to regions where fever and ague and various other bilious complaints have counted their victims by hundreds. To be able to state confidently that the "Bitters" are a certain cure for the Dyspepsia and like diseases, is to the proprietors a source of unalloyed pleasure. It removes all morbid matter from the stomach, purifies the blood, and imparts renewed vitality to the nervous system, giving it that tone and energy indispensable for the restoration of health. It operates upon the stomach, liver, and other digestive organs, mildly but powerfully, and soon restores them to a condition essential to the healthy discharge of the functions of nature.

Elderly persons may use the Bitters daily as per directions on the bottle, and they will find in it a stimulant peculiarly adapted to comfort declining years, as it is pleasant to the palate, invigorating to the bowels, excellent as a tonic, and rejuvenating generally. We have the evidence of thousands of aged men and women who have experienced the benefit of using this preparation while suffering from stomach derangements and general debility; acting under the advice of physicians, they have abandoned all deleterious drugs and fairly tested the merits of this article. A few words to the gentler sex. There are certain periods when their cares are so harassing that many of them sink under the trial. The relation of mother and child is so absorbingly tender, that the mother, especially if she be young, is apt to forget her own health in her extreme anxiety for her infant. Should the period of maternity arrive during the summer season, the wear of body and mind is generally aggravated. Here, then, is a necessity for a stimulant to recuperate the energies of the system, and enable the mother to bear up under her exhausting trials and responsibilities. Nursing mothers generally prefer the Bitters to all other invigorators that receive the endorsement of physicians, because it is agreeable to the taste as well as certain to give a permanent increase of bodily strength.

All those persons, to whom we have particularly referred above, to wit: sufferers from fever and ague, caused by malaria, diarrhœa, dysentery, indigestion, loss of appetite, and all diseases or derangements of the stomach, superannuated invalids, persons of sedentary occupation, and nursing mothers, will consult their own physical welfare by giving to Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters a trial.

CAUTION.—We caution the public against using any of the many imitations or counterfeits, but ask for HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS, and see that each bottle has the words "Dr. J. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters" blown on the side of the bottle, and stamped on the metallic cap covering the cork, and observe that our autograph signature is on the label.

☞ Prepared and sold by HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa., and sold by all druggists, grocers, and dealers generally throughout the United States, South America, and Germany.

For sale by A. ROUSH, Altoona, Pa.

Sept. 20, 1860-1y.

HOLLIDAYSBURG MARBLE WORKS

JOHN McKEAGE, successor to A. W. Kinney,

Manufacturer of all kinds of PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL MARBLE WORK. All work finished at the lowest possible prices. All kinds of Marble prices. Jobbing attended to at the shortest notice, and warranted to give satisfaction. Hollidaysburg, Dec. 30, 1858-tf.

JACOB SNYDER, TAILOR,

The Hero of One Hundred Fits per Month!

I would respectfully set forth my claim to public attention, as a Fashionable Tailor as follows:

Because I keep an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Trimmings, which, when examined, always please.

Because my work is made up in a manner that takes down the country and gives all my customers a city appearance.

Because I am not inferior as a Cutter to the best to be found anywhere.

Because long experience in my business gives me entire control over it, and I am not dependant upon any one to lift me out of the suds.

Because I am still on the sunny side of forty, and therefore my taste as a Cutter and workman unimpaired.

Call on me, in the corner room of the "Brant House." Give me a trial and you will go away pleased.

Altoona, May 26—3m JACOB SNYDER.

BLAIR COUNTY DAGUERREAN ROOMS.—Mr. G. W. FISHER, the Hollidaysburg Artist, begs leave to inform our readers that he is prepared to take

Photographs of deceased persons,

from Daguerreotypes, at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. He has just received a large stock of durable and neat cases, of all sizes and styles, including a new pattern of Family Case for four persons, and is prepared to fill them with perfect likenesses.

AMBROTYPE, DAGUERREOTYPE OR PHOTOGRAPH. Give him a call.